

A New Beginning

Following God into what comes next – 2 Corinthians 5:17



Transitions are not interruptions; they are seasons God can use – Ecc 3:1-4

God is present in endings, waiting, planting, and beginnings.



God may be doing a new thing before we can fully perceive it.

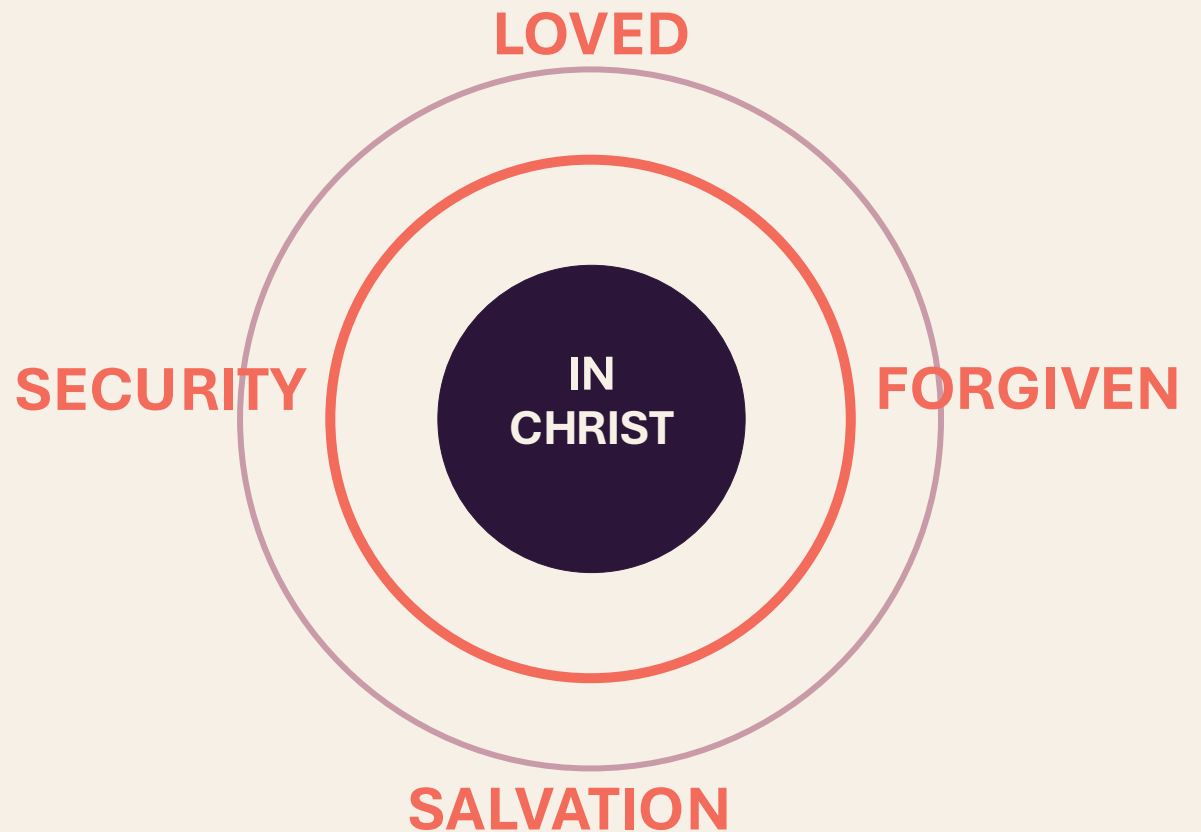
Begin with identity before direction

A changed season does not have to decide who you are.

Before asking, “Where am I going?” ask:

**“Who am I
in Christ?” – Gal 2:20**

Direction becomes clearer
when identity is already settled
– Matt 5:16





God often reveals the path after the first obedient step – Gen 12:1-9

01 LEAVE

Release what must remain in the past.

02 GO

Move toward what God shows.

03 BLESS

Let the new chapter serve others.

Trust God with the map you cannot yet see

– 2 Tim 1:12

Biblical trust is not passive; it is faithful movement without full visibility.

NOT certainty

BUT trust – Pro 3:5

NOT control

BUT surrender – vs 6

NOT the whole map

**BUT the next step – Ps
119:105**



Courage grows when God's presence becomes your reference point – Jos 1:1-9

01

WORD

Return to what God has said.

02

PRESENCE

Remember who goes with you.

03

OBEDIENCE

Practice what God makes clear.

Commitment can turn loss into a doorway

Ruth did not choose an easy
future. She chose faithfulness in
the middle of grief – Ruth 1:16

LOSS

home • security • certainty

LOYALTY

to Naomi • to a people • to God

BELONGING

Faithfulness became the road to a fulfilling future.



New chapters are walked in community, not isolation

NOTICE

Who is carrying a hidden burden? – Gal 6:2

ENCOURAGE

Speak courage and truth – Eph 4:15

GATHER

Keep showing up together – Heb 10:24,25