



## YOU MUST BE BORN AGAIN

*“Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.” – John 3: 3*

This expression “born again” has been used and misused in so many ways. It is important that we as believers understand what “born again” means.

The Bible tells us that because we have inherited sin from Adam, we have also inherited spiritual death, Romans 5:12. Therefore, when we were born, we were born with a body and a soul but our spirit is born dead. When we put our faith and trust in Jesus Christ to give us eternal life, His Spirit comes to live inside of our body and makes our dead spirit come to life, in Ephesians 2:1. This new life is called, by Christ, being “born again” or born from above.

The first time I am born with a body and a soul, the second time is the birth of my spirit into new life. Through this new birth, I have become a child of God. I am guaranteed eternal life, which I can never lose. This is a wonderful truth to teach new believers in Jesus Christ. This is one reason we can never lose our salvation, because our Spirit is connected to the Holy Spirit, who can never ever, ever die.