Read 2 Corinthians 3:17-18. What is Paul talking about in those verses?

Read Hebrews 10:14. What are the implications of what is being said here? How many timeless principles can you find in this verse?

Bible Study Resources

Study Bibles, Commentaries, Dictionaries <u>Software and apps:</u> Pocket Bible (Laridian.com) New English Translation (Bible.org) BlueLetterBible.org ESV on Crossway; YouVersion Bible.ls OliveTree Study Bible Bible Gateway FaithLife Study Bible App



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Scripture References Acts 17:10-11 • John 3:16 • Hebrews 2:14-15 Revelation 21:4 • Romans 3:20-22 Hebrews 7:19 • 2 Corinthians 5:21 • Hebrews 10:14 2 Corinthians 5:17 • Colossians 3:10 • Romans 8:29 2 Corinthians 3:17-18 • Romans 12:2

1) ... the people of Berea were more open-minded than those in

Thessalonica, and they listened eagerly to Paul's message. They

searched the Scriptures day after day to see if Paul and Silas

were ______. -Acts 17:11

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2) For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son,

that whoever believes in him shall not ______ but have

eternal life. -John 3:16

- 3) [Jesus came to] ... set free all who have lived their lives as
 ______ to the fear of dying. -Hebrews 2:15
- 4) For no one can ever be made right with God by doing

what the law commands. The law simply shows us how

_____ we are. -Romans 3:20

- 5) For the law never made anything perfect. But now we have confidence in a ______ hope, through which we draw near to God. -Hebrews 7:19
- 6) Grace: Undeserved and unearned ______ from God, who loved us so much that he gave his one and only son so that our sin could be forgiven.
- 7) For by that one offering he _____ made perfect those

who _____ made holy. -Hebrews 10:14



Please try to think these over and jot down some ideas prior to discussing them at the meeting, it will improve the discussion.

In your experience, what have you heard other people say about the meaning or purpose of life?

In your own view, what is God's intent for creation? Why do we exist and what does the future hold for us?

Read Romans 12:2. What does Paul mean when he says we should "be transformed by the renewing of our mind?" How does that happen? How does the second part of that verse relate to us in our day-to-day life?

Have you ever known someone who has clearly been transformed by the gospel? What did that look like? What kind of differences did you notice?