

# How to Live Life at the Highest Colossians 3:1-10

Colossians 3:1-4 (ESV)

If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

#### I. A New Life

Hebrews 11:8 (ESV)

By faith Abraham obeyed when he was called to go out to a place that he was to receive as an inheritance. And he went out, not knowing where he was going.

## **II. A New Identity**

Genesis 17:5 (ESV)

No longer shall your name be called Abram, but your name shall be Abraham, for I have made you the father of a multitude of nations.

1 John 1:5-7 (ESV)

This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all. If we say we have fellowship with him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin.

### III. A New Focus

Hebrews 11:10 (ESV)

For he was looking forward to the city that has foundations, whose designer and builder is God.

1 John 2:17 (ESV)

And the world is passing away along with its desires, but whoever does the will of God abides forever.

## **IV. New Desires**

Hebrews 11:17 (ESV)

By faith Abraham, when he was tested, offered up Isaac, and he who had received the promises was in the act of offering up his only son,

Genesis 22:5 (ESV)

Then Abraham said to his young men, "Stay here with the donkey; I and the boy will go over there and worship and come again to you."