

# “Radical Conversion”

Selected Scriptures

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“John Newton, clerk, once an infidel and libertine, a servant of slaves in Africa, was by the rich mercy of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, preserved, restored, pardoned, and appointed to preach the faith he had long labored to destroy.” (John Newton’s epitaph)

“The conversion and apostleship of Paul alone, duly considered, is of itself a demonstration sufficient to prove Christianity to be a divine revelation.” (Lord Lyttleton)

What does it mean to be radically converted?

#1. To be radically converted means you have a brand new faith. (Acts 9:1-9)

#2. To be radically converted means you have a. (Acts 9:10-18)

#3. To be radically converted means you have a brand new future.  
(Acts 9:17; 26:16-18)

*<sup>11</sup> For I know the plans I have for you, declares the LORD, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope. <sup>12</sup> Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will hear you. <sup>13</sup> You will seek me and find me, when you seek me with all your heart.. Jeremiah 29:11-13*