

## **The New Guy - Week 3 - March 29**

### **Introduction**

If Jesus was *The New Guy* at our work, His presence would certainly change things around the workplace. All of us who are followers of Jesus are *New Creations* ...we are the "new guy or new girl"...and as Christ lives in and through us, our presence will usher in His presence along with His works into all of our environments.

### **Discussion Questions**

1. If you were an ambassador from the United States, what are some of the things about our country you would be proud to represent?
2. As an ambassador of heaven and Jesus Christ, what are some of the things you are proud to represent?
3. Please read [2 Corinthians 5:17-21](#). If you are a believer, what kingdom are you and ambassador for? What is the reason God has chosen you as an ambassador? What does God want to accomplish through you?
4. Please review the following things Jesus would do and expect you to represent as His ambassador:

If Jesus was *The New Guy*...

10. He would be known as an extraordinary worker who exceeded the bosses expectations.
  9. He would honor, respect, and obey his bosses authority.
  8. He would be rigorously honest in all his dealings and never compromise or exaggerate the truth to get a promotion.
  7. He would always have a motive to help others succeed, even when it cost him something.
  6. He would develop new ideas and help the business grow.
  5. He would pray and bring healing to the ones in the office who were sick.
  4. He would encourage everyone in the office.
  3. He would never gossip or talk negative about his co-workers.
  2. He would give to those in need.
  1. He would build relationships with unbelievers and introduce them to God the Father.
5. After reviewing these different actions and attitudes of Jesus; are there any that you recognize not being lived out in your life? Why did you give this answer? Is there anything this group can do to help you in being a greater ambassador of Jesus Christ?

### **Moving Forward**

All of us who are followers of Jesus are *New Creations*... We are "the new guy or girl" and we have been called as ambassadors to represent God in all of our environments. As Christ lives in and through us, our presence will usher in His presence along with His works into all of our environments. After seeing the actions and attitudes of Jesus, we can honestly answer the following question: In my workplace and in other environments, am I a true ambassador of Jesus Christ? If the answer is no...the solution is not to try harder to do these things... the solution is to know God on a greater level and truly abide in His will and way. Commit to spend more time getting to know God and His will and way this week.

### **Changing Your Mind - Commit this to memory**

Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God.

[2 Corinthians 5:20](#) (ESV)