

**HOW CAN A PERSON CHANGE?
EPHESIANS 4:17-24
6-18-23**

KEY THOUGHT: We must live out who we are now in Christ.

I. We Are No Longer in the Old Life-(17-19)-*“that you must no longer live as the Gentiles do”*

There is a Progression to Sinfulness.

- A. A Wrong Mindset-(17)
- B. A Distorted Understanding-(18a)
- C. A Hardened Heart-(18b)
- D. A Loss of Control-(19)

II. We Are Now in the New Life-(20-24)-*“That, however is not the way of life you learned.”*

There is a Progression to Righteousness.

- A. We Reject the Flesh-(22)-*“to put off your old self”*
- B. We Embrace the New-(23-24)-*“to be made new...”*

Takeaway:

I am changed in my pursuit of Jesus.