

MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS:

- I will memorize **Isaiah 45:3 (NLT)**
- I will accept Christ for the first time or recommit my life to Christ
- I will join the New Life church family
- I will trust God in the dark times

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Treasures in the Dark

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MEMORY VERSE: *“And I will give you treasures hidden in the darkness secret riches. I will do this so you may know that I am the Lord, the God of Israel, the one who calls you by name.”* **Isaiah 45:3 (NLT)**

1. WE MUST UNDERSTAND WHAT IS

_____?

“In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. The earth was formless and empty, and darkness covered the deep waters. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the surface of the waters. Then God said, Let there be light, and there was light.”

Genesis 1:1-3 (NLT)

2. WE MUST UNDERSTAND THAT DARKNESS IS

NOT _____.

“For his anger endureth but a moment; in his favour is life: Weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning.” Psalm 30:5 (KJV)

“He gets angry once in a while, but across a lifetime there is only love. The nights of crying your eyes out give way to days of laughter.” Psalm 30:5 (MSG)

“Meanwhile, Saul was still breathing out murderous threats against the Lord’s disciples. He went to the high priest and asked him for letters to the synagogues in Damascus, so that if he found any there who belonged to the Way, whether men or women, he might take them as prisoners to Jerusalem. As he neared Damascus on his journey, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. He fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, Saul! Saul! Why do you persecute me? Who are you, Lord? Saul asked. I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting, he replied. Now get up and go into the city, and you will be told what you must do. The men traveling with Saul stood there speechless; for they heard the sound but did not see anyone.

Saul got up from the ground, but when he opened his eyes he could see nothing. So they led him by the hand into Damascus. For three days he was blind, and did not eat or drink anything.” Acts 9:1-9 (NIV)

3. WE MUST KNOW THAT GOD _____ DARKNESS IN OUR LIVES.

*“For we walk by faith, not by sight.”
2 Corinthians 5:7 (NKJV)*

*“For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith; as it is written, The just shall live by faith.”
Romans 1:17 (NKJV)*

I NEED GOD TO GIVE ME _____.