

Becoming Like Jesus

5b By this we may know that we are in him: 6 whoever says he abides in him ought to walk in the same way in which he walked.

Becoming Like Jesus.

“I remember very vividly, some years ago, that the question which perplexed me as a younger Christian (and some of my friends as well) was this: what is God’s purpose for His people? ... granted that we have been saved and received new life in Jesus Christ, what comes next? ... we knew ... that man’s chief end is to glorify God and to enjoy Him forever: we knew that, and we believed it. We also toyed with some briefer statements, like one of only five words—love God, love your neighbor. But somehow neither of these, nor some others that we could mention, seemed wholly satisfactory. So, I want to share with you where my mind has come to rest as I approach the end of my pilgrimage on earth, and it is—God wants His people to become like Christ. Christlikeness is the will of God for the people of God.” -John Stott

“Everything is for your good, and your ultimate good is becoming like Jesus”

God is sovereign and working everything for your good.

28 And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose.

God wants you to be like Jesus

29 For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son,

God makes us like Jesus...for Jesus

29b in order that he might be the firstborn among many brothers.

Everything is for your good and Your ultimate Good is Becoming like Jesus!

Spending time with Jesus makes us more like Jesus

When we become like Jesus we start seeing things like Jesus sees them

When we know Jesus more, sin loses its attractiveness