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HAPPY
BIRTHDAY

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THIS YEAR I CAN CHANGE...

1. From a _____ to a _____.

God saved you by his grace when you believed. And you can't take credit for this; it is a gift from God. Salvation is not a reward for the good things we have done, so none of us can boast about it. For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago. Ephesians 2:8-10 NLT

Now these are the gifts Christ gave to the church: the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, and the pastors and teachers. Their responsibility is to equip God's people to do his work and build up the church, the body of Christ. Ephesians 4:11-12 NLT

2. From a _____ to a _____.

A troublemaker plants seeds of strife; gossip separates the best of friends. Proverbs 16:28 NLT

Don't use foul or abusive language. Let everything you say be good and helpful, so that your words will be an encouragement to those who hear them. Ephesians 4:29 NLT

3. From a _____ to an _____.

Jesus came and told his disciples, "I have been given all authority in heaven and on earth. Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Teach these new disciples to obey all the commands I have given you. And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age." Matthew 28:18-20 NLT

You have heard me teach things that have been confirmed by many reliable witnesses. Now teach these truths to other trustworthy people who will be able to pass them on to others. 2 Timothy 2:2 NLT

Give, and you will receive. Your gift will return to you in full—pressed down, shaken together to make room for more, running over, and poured into your lap. The amount you give will determine the amount you get back. Luke 6:38 NLT

SO WHAT?

And I am certain that God, who began the good work within you, will continue his work until it is finally finished on the day when Christ Jesus returns. Philippians 1:6 NLT

_____ **bring** _____ **and**
_____ **make** _____ .

QUESTIONS FOR CHANGE

1. How do you feel about Change?
2. What are some Changes that you find difficult to make?
3. Why is it important to be willing to make Changes?
4. Of the three types of Changes that Doug talked about, which one do you think is most important? Why?
5. What is an area of your life that you would like to see Change this year?
6. How can making that Change help You and Others Experience God's Best?
7. Take some time now to Pray for God to make the Changes He wants to make in Your Life so that you and Others will Find and Experience God's Best.