

*He makes all things new*



2 And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem,  
coming down out of heaven from God,  
made ready as a bride adorned for her  
husband.

Revelation 21:2-5

3 And I heard a loud voice from the throne, saying, “Behold, the tabernacle of God is among men, and He will dwell among them, and they shall be His people, and God Himself will be among them,

**Revelation 21:2–5**

4 and He will wipe away every tear from their eyes; and there will no longer be *any* death; there will no longer be *any* mourning, or crying, or pain; the first things have passed away.”

**Revelation 21:2–5**

5 And He who sits on the throne said,  
“Behold, I am making all things new.” And  
He said, “Write, for these words are  
faithful and true.”

Revelation 21:2-5

God completed His work  
on the sixth day.

Everything he Has  
"made" since then has been  
made from created  
materials.

Making all things new does not involve starting over again, but rather renewing what was "Good" but has been corrupted.

**I**n the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.

**Genesis 1:1–3**

2 The earth was *formless* and *void*,  
and *darkness* was over the surface of  
the deep, and the Spirit of God was  
moving over the surface of the  
waters.

Genesis 1:1–3

3 Then God said, “Let there be light”; and there was light.

Genesis 1:1-3

Without God, the natural state of things is formless, empty, and dark. Once God gets involved with anything, it

- begins to take shape,
- is filled with life,

meaning and purpose,

and

- can be seen for the glory of what it is.

God is always brooding  
over dark things, seeking  
opportunity to renew it  
back to original purpose.

9 He made known to us the mystery  
of His will, according to His kind  
intention which He purposed **in Him**

Ephesians 1:9–10

10 with a view to an administration  
suitable to the fullness of the times,  
*that is, the summing up of all things in*  
**Christ**, things in the heavens and  
things on the earth **In Him**

Ephesians 1:9–10

All things start  
becoming new when  
returned back to  
where they originated:  
In Him

It's true of the world.  
It's especially true for  
each life.

What chaotic mess is  
in need of His creative  
touch to make it take  
shape?

What empty place of  
lack needs to be filled  
with His Power and  
Presence?

What confusion or lack  
of direction is in need  
of His Word to bring  
fresh light to it?

9 “Behold, the former things  
have come to pass, Now I declare  
new things; Before they spring  
forth I proclaim them to you.”

Isaiah 42:9