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## **Resolved: Pursuing Lasting Change** Living My Best Life

Colossians 3:1–4 (HCSB)

*So if you have been raised with the Messiah, seek what is above, where the Messiah is, seated at the right hand of God.*

*<sup>2</sup> Set your minds on what is above, not on what is on the earth.*

*<sup>3</sup> For you have died, and your life is hidden with the Messiah in God. <sup>4</sup> When the Messiah, who is your life, is revealed, then you also will be revealed with Him in glory.*

### **1. RESOLVE TO LIVE THE \_\_\_\_\_ LIFE** **v 1a**

- You at one time were \_\_\_\_\_ in your sins.

Ephesians 2:1–3 (HCSB)

- We have been resurrected in Christ to live a new life.

Romans 6:4 (HCSB)

- We are now a new creation in Christ because He was \_\_\_\_\_ from the dead.

2 Corinthians 5:17 (HCSB)

### **2. RESIST AN EARTHLY FOCUS BUT BE HEAVENLY** **\_\_\_\_\_ vv 1b-2**

- It is easy to be \_\_\_\_\_ up in this world.

Colossians 2:20–21 (HCSB)

2 Corinthians 4:18 (HCSB)

1 John 2:15–17 (HCSB)

- We must set our minds on things above.

Matthew 6:33 (HCSB)

### **3. RESOLVE TO \_\_\_\_\_ YOUR LIFE IN AND FOR** **CHRIST vv 3-4**

- “Hidden with the Messiah” implies concealment and \_\_\_\_\_.

- When Christ returns, we will be with Him.

1 Thessalonians 4:16–18 (HCSB)

- Christ living in us is our \_\_\_\_\_ of glory.

Colossians 1:27 (HCSB)

John 14:19 (HCSB)

### **The Next Step:**

Resolve to live the resurrected life in and for Jesus.