

SPIRITUAL TRANSFORMATION – INSIDE TO OUTSIDE
Job 31:1-12
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Introduction: Have you ever wondered why people do the things that they do? The simple answer is because of the heart. People do bad things because of a sinful heart. In order for people to change what they do, they need to have a change of heart. And only the Gospel can do that. When a sinner is spiritually transformed at regeneration he receives a new heart. A radical change takes place within that transforms every area of our life. In Job chapter 31, Job's blameless lifestyle flowed from a heart that was spiritually transformed. Whether his conduct involved his eyes, his mind, his mouth, his hands or his feet, Job's life proves his heart had been changed from the inside to the outside.

- I. The Change Will Affect a Christian's Eyes** (vs. 1-4)
A. This means we no longer lust (vs. 1)

B. Why? (vs. 2-4)



Application of verse 1:

1. Radical amputation – Matthew 5:27-30
2. Build hedges – Proverbs 22:3
3. Scripture memorization – 1 Tim. 5:2
4. Prayer – Matthew 6:13

- II. The Change Will Affect a Christian's Mind** (vs. 5-6)
A. This means we no longer lie (vs. 5)

B. Why? (vs. 6)

- III. The Change Will Affect a Christian's Feet** (vs. 7-8)
A. This means we no longer covet (vs. 7)

B. Why? (vs. 8)

- IV. The Change Will Affect a Christian's Heart** (vs. 9-12)
A. This means we do not commit adultery (vs. 9)

B. Why? (vs. 10-12)

Conclusion:

