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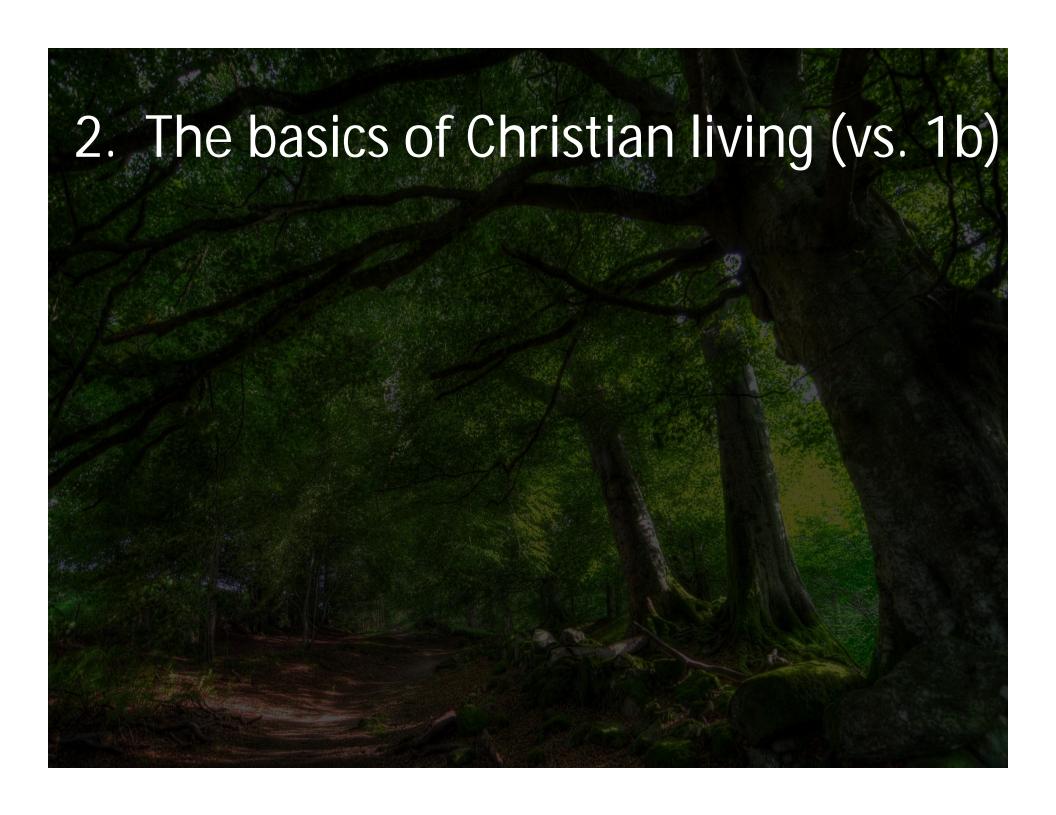
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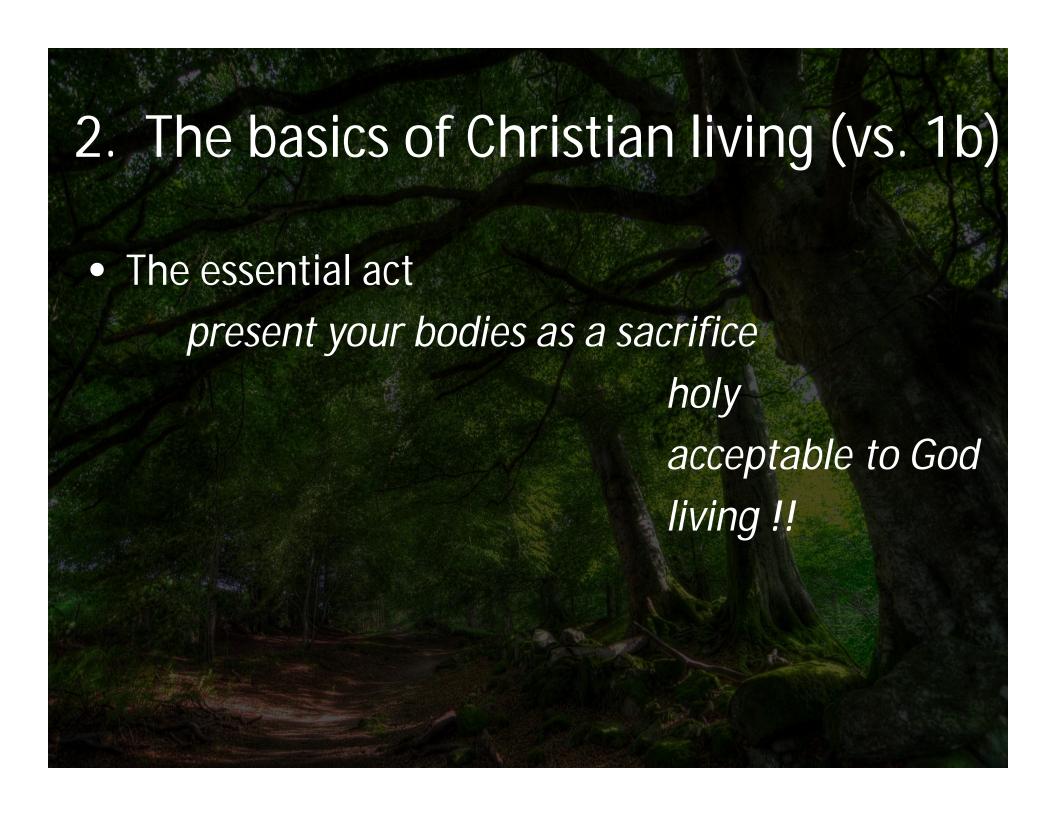
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 By the mercies of God – a fitting summary of everything God has done for us (chs.1-11).





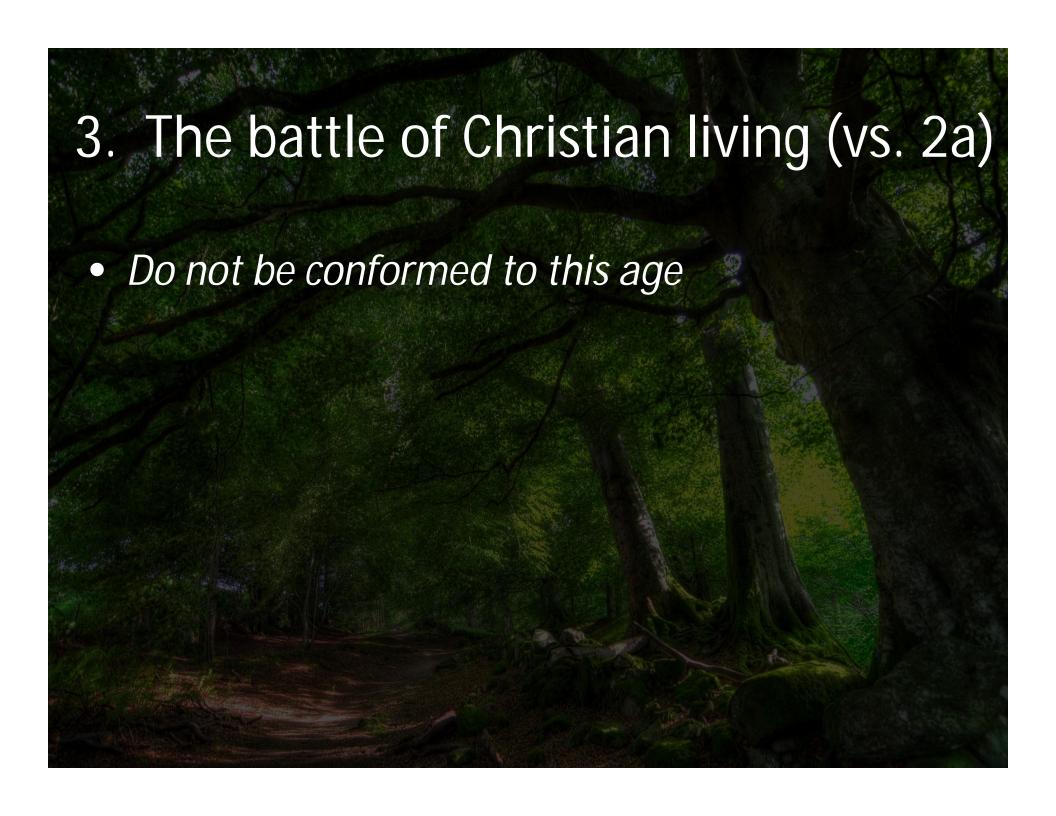
2. The basics of Christian living (vs. 1b)

 The essential act present your bodies as a sacrifice

holy
acceptable to God
living!!

 The essential attitude which is your spiritual service of worship





3. The battle of Christian living (vs. 2a)

Do not be conformed to this age

Gal. 1:4

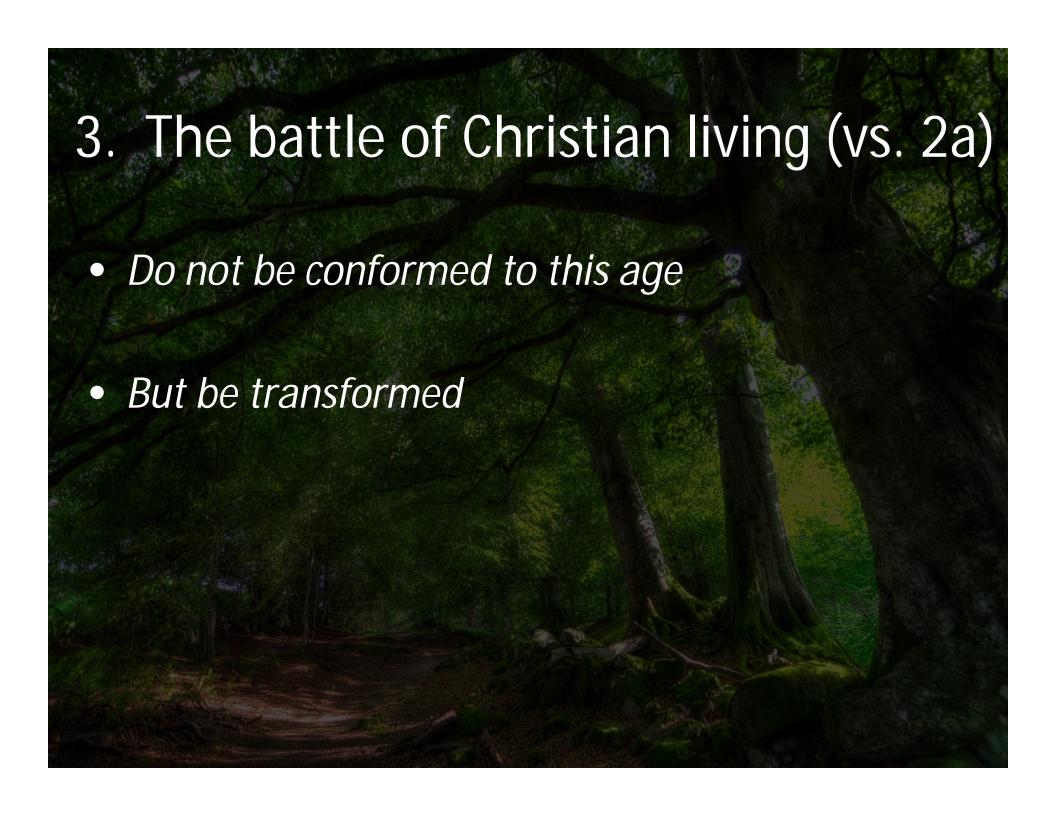
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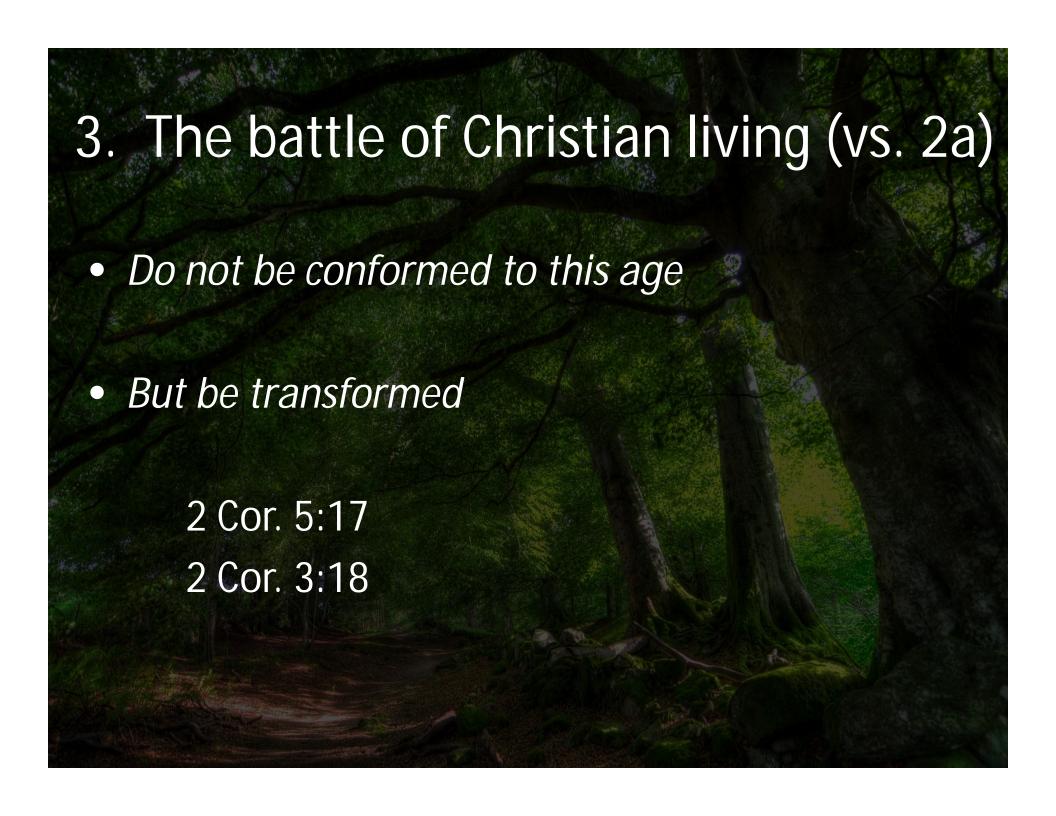
2 Cor. 4:4

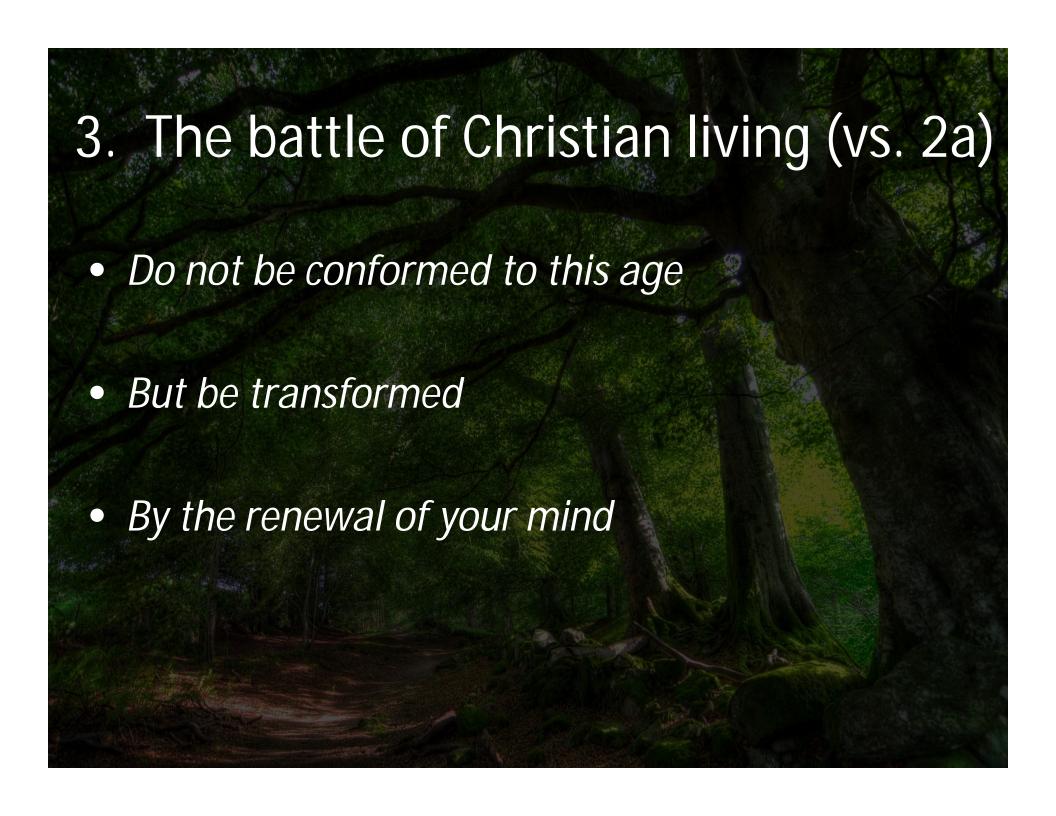
2 Tim. 4:2

Titus 2:12

Rom. 8:5-9







3. The battle of Christian living (vs. 2a)

Do not be conformed to this age

But be transformed

By the renewal of your mind

Rom. 8:5-8

2 Cor. 4:16

Col. 3:2, 8-11, 16

Rom. 6:3, 6, 9, 11

Eph. 4:17-24

