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**What do you remember
about your life in 2016?**

**Discuss with those around
you!**

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Part 3

NEW LIFE – RESURRECTED WITH CHRIST

Ephesians 2:1-10

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you have been saved— ⁶and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, ⁷so that in the coming ages he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. ⁸For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, ⁹not a result of works, so that no one may boast. ¹⁰For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

As for you,



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BY MADELEINE SCHULZ
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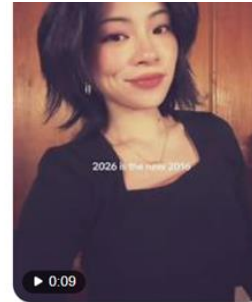
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God's wrath

God's wrath is ‘...divine reaction to only one situation, namely evil. Therefore it is entirely predictable, and it is never subject to mood, whim or caprice.’

Wrath is ‘God’s personal, righteous, constant hostility to evil, his settled refusal to compromise with it, and his resolve to condemn it. Further his wrath is not incompatible with his love.’

John Stott

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But God

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You were:

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- *Enslaved to the world and the devil*
- *Children of wrath*

But God has made you:

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- *A new way to walk*
- *In Christ*
- *Adopted children of God*

What does life look like now?

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