

NEW BIRTH
Pathway to
the Kingdom of God

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Foreword

I have a high degree of respect and admiration for Rev. Eva Peck. In the years that I have known her, she has demonstrated a remarkable insight into the Holy Scriptures. Her ability to understand and communicate, in plain English, the teachings of the Bible is simply amazing – a gift from God. Eva’s personal life is no less remarkable. She treats others with dignity and respect, and is a true example of walking, speaking, and acting in grace.

I have enjoyed reading many of Eva’s publications. *The New Birth – Pathway to the Kingdom of God*, however, is my favorite because it is the first of its kind to illuminate the truths contained in the Bible by cross-referencing biblical texts with material from the *True Gospel Revealed Anew by Jesus* – a collection of messages received from Celestial angels and others in the spirit realms in the early 1900s. I have dedicated my life to the study of God’s truths and know of no one better than Eva to bridge the gap between these two remarkable sources of spiritual information.

In her book, Eva walks us through the stages of spiritual progression beginning with soul awakening, via soul transformation, and ending with the soul becoming at-one with our heavenly Father and living in God’s Celestial Kingdom. She even provides us with insights and glimpses,

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based on accounts of those now there, of what life and work might be like for the divine angels in the Kingdom of God.

I hope that you enjoy the book as much as I did. It is a remarkable journey of soul transformation validated by the Holy Scriptures.

Rev. Michael Nedbal, PhD

November, 2017

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The book, *New Birth – Pathway to the Kingdom of God* proposes answers, as I presently see them, to questions many wonder about such as, what is the purpose of life and the human potential, and what, if anything, happens after this life.

Most Christians believe that man is by nature sinful – following the rebellion/fall of Adam and Eve. According to traditional teachings, this condition can be remedied by accepting Jesus Christ as a personal savior and his sacrifice on the cross as payment for our sins. This is said to reconcile us to God and cleanse us from all sin. The Bible, in the New Testament, indeed contains the teaching that man is saved by the death and blood of Jesus. While churches also usually teach that those who in this life have not accepted Jesus as their savior will eternally suffer in an ever-burning hell, the Scriptures are not quite as explicit – though they do speak about judgment.

Besides numerous passages speaking about being saved by the vicarious atonement of Jesus – his shedding of blood and dying on a Roman cross, there is also another thread or “gospel” running through the New Testament. It emphasises more of *what Jesus taught and exhorted his followers to do*, than what he did for them through his sacrificial death. Many passages speak about the Holy Spirit as the agent of transformation and creating the “new

heart” predicted by Old Testament prophets. Jesus spoke about “New Birth” as a means of salvation and condition for entering the Kingdom of God. Other passages speak about Love of God shed abroad to our hearts by the Holy Spirit. We are to follow the leading of the Spirit in order to be saved. God is more than happy to give us the Holy Spirit, but our effort and cooperation are also needed in working out our own salvation.

This book focuses on what is the New Birth, how we can be born again, what it means in this life, and what we can look forward to in the next life and in the Kingdom of God that Jesus so often spoke about when he came to the earth.

It is a well-established fact (though not accepted by all Christians) that the Bible is not a book wherein every word is inspired by God. It is not a book of science or history as such. It also combines multiple threads of thought from various ancient sources. It has gone through a complex process of document selection, compilation, editing and reediting, as well as translating – all this long after the time of Jesus and the original apostles. There is no doubt that the Bible is an inspired book which has changed countless lives over the span of its existence, and that it contains the essential message of salvation. However, it is not free from errors, interpolations, extrapolations, and biases of its contributors, editors, and translators who were all influenced by the time and culture they lived in.

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Several years ago, I was led to another revelation – not as well known, but, I believe, worth considering. It is a collection of inspired/mediated writings received by an American medium, James Padgett, about one hundred years ago. When I began reading these messages, they made sense. My rule of thumb for discerning truth is how it resonates with me and my experiences – regardless of what the source is or who said it. I believe that inspired truth can be found in all the main religions and many other spiritual writings. It is important to realize that all inspired knowledge is mediated knowledge – it comes from a higher source beyond us through a human spiritual teacher (who in that process functions as a medium) to be passed onto others.

In this book, I am mostly drawing on information from two sources: the four volumes of *True Gospel Revealed Anew by Jesus* (TGRABJ) published by the Foundation Church of the New Birth, and the Bible. The majority of biblical quotes are from the New International Version. The TGRABJ references include the *volume and the starting page* of the message, for example, a quote/paraphrase from TGRABJ/2/23 comes from Volume 2 and a message starting on page 23. Another related source drawn on is *New Testament Revelations* – a collection of messages received by Dr. Daniel Samuels largely in the 1950s and 60s. They are annotated as NTR, followed by the number of the revelation.

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The author hopes and prays that readers will, with an open mind, consider the presented views and decide whether what they read resonates with them. May they be inspired and encouraged, as well as motivated to act on what they learn, so that they can start on the journey of fulfilling their unlimited human potential.

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The gist of this book is the New Birth or birth from above, which means a new heart or a transformed soul through God's Divine Love. Butterflies are a fitting symbol of transformation – from an earth-bound ordinary creature to a limitless glorious being of indescribable beauty.

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One day while speaking with Nicodemus, Jesus pointed out that to gain entrance into the Kingdom of God, one must be *born again* or *born from above*. He compared and contrasted the natural human birth with the “birth of water and the spirit.”

John 3:3-8 – Jesus answered and said to [Nicodemus], “Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born again [the Greek literally says ‘born from above’ – see also NIV margin], he cannot see the kingdom of God.” Nicodemus said to him, “How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother’s womb and be born?” Jesus answered, “Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not marvel that I said to you, ‘You must be born again.’ The wind blows where it wishes, and you hear the sound of it, but cannot tell where it comes from and where it goes. So is everyone who is born of the Spirit.”

Indeed, the physical birth can serve as an analogy – though imperfect as all analogies are – of the spiritual birth. Here are some insights.

Before we are born as humans, we go through three stages: Firstly, *conception* when the short-lived female

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