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Have you ever had the experience of revisiting a place you have not visited in ten or more years? Perhaps you've experienced seeing an old friend who you hardly recognize anymore. Most likely the changes which have taken place over time, although barely noticeable to the constant observer on a day to day basis, can prove to be drastic and even alarming to someone who has not been a daily observer. It is the same principle we encounter in our spiritual life as we read our daily Word, gather ourselves to prayer each day, and consistently serve the Lord over a long period of time. Although the changes in our lives and, perhaps the lives of our close friends and family members may not be greatly noticed, nonetheless, changes are taking place. Don't despair nor allow the enemy to make you think that your daily connection with God is fruitless. You, and others around you are being changed as you continue to look into God's perfect Word and apply that Word to your life. These changes are more often noticed by those who have not seen you for a period of time.

Prayer for Today

Father, I choose to trust You in the lives of my family and friends and in my life as well. I know Your Word and Spirit are working on me and daily I am being transformed into the image of Your dear Son. Thank you for making me more like You.

Scriptures for Today

Romans 12:1-2 I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service. And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God. (NKJV)

2 Corinthians 3:18 But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as by the Spirit of the Lord. (NKJV)