

## Change Is Inevitable, Embrace It!

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The Boy Scout motto is, "Be Prepared." Simple terminology that has big meaning. Every now and again there is an area in our lives where God is telling us it's time to move, but fear of the unknown shrinks you back. Always strive to progress forward. Familiarity will keep you stuck in a rut; stagnant with no desire to grow. Change is just evidence of growth. What worked yesterday can be tomorrow's recipe for failure. We can't become who God destined us to be, if we insist on staying the same. Only fools and dead men don't change... Fools won't and dead men can't. Change isn't the enemy to a person who sees themselves as a lifelong learner looking for ways to grow and improve. Change then becomes your friend because you begin to evolve, daily. Learn from the people you meet, pursue new ideas, strategies, and ways to push yourself out of your comfort zone. Our bodies change no matter how much we exercise... Our homes change as our needs ebb and flow. Our places of employment change as the winds of economic forces blow and new opportunities arise... Friendships change as family needs and employment pull us away... While many changes become enjoyable new seasons... sometimes there's painful. But no matter what seasonal change we experience, we can always find comfort in Malachi 3:6, "For I am the Lord, I change not;..."

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