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# out of nothing. 1. Some Things Are Dead & Need To\_\_\_\_\_ 2 Corinthians 5:17 (NCV) If anyone belongs to Christ, there is a new creation. The old things have gone; everything is made new! Them. Philippians 3:13b-14 (NLT) ... I focus on this one thing: Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead, <sup>14</sup>I press on to reach the end of the race and receive the heavenly prize for which God, through Christ Jesus, is calling us. 2. Some Things Trip Us Up & We \_\_\_\_\_ Dead. Revelation 3:1b-2a (NLT) 1"I know all the things you do, and that you have a reputation for being alive—but you are dead. <sup>2</sup>Wake up! Strengthen what little

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