

## **DIVINE TRANSITION**

In the Bible, transition is a season of moving from the familiar past into an uncharted future prepared by God.

It represents a divine process of change, testing faith, stretching character, and shifting from one spiritual or physical condition to another.

Ecclesiastes 3:1, NKJV To everything there is a season, a time for every purpose under heaven:

Ecclesiastes 3:2, NLT A time to be born and a time to die. A time to plant and a time to harvest.

Ecclesiastes 3:3, NLT A time to kill and a time to heal. A time to tear down and a time to build up.

Ecclesiastes 3:4, NLT A time to cry and a time to laugh. A time to grieve and a time to dance.

Ecclesiastes 3:5, NLT A time to scatter stones and a time to gather stones. A time to embrace and a time to turn away.

Ecclesiastes 3:6, NLT A time to search and a time to quit searching. A time to keep and a time to throw away.

Ecclesiastes 3:7, NLT A time to tear and a time to mend. A time to be quiet and a time to speak.

Ecclesiastes 3:8, NLT A time to love and a time to hate. A time for war and a time for peace.

Ecclesiastes 3:11, NLT Yet God has made everything beautiful for its own time. He has planted eternity in the human heart, but even so, people cannot see the whole scope of God's work from beginning to end.

Examples of Transition:

- Abraham

Genesis 12:1, NIV The Lord had said to Abram, "Go from your country, your people and your father's household to the land I will show you."

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- Our new life in Christ

2 Corinthians 5:17, NKJV Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new.

2 Corinthians 3:18, NKJV But we all...are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as by the Spirit of the Lord.

Philippians 1:6, NLT And I am certain that God, who began the good work within you, will continue his work until it is finally finished on the day when Christ Jesus returns.

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- Every transition has a middle

Isaiah 43:18, NKJV “Do not remember the former things, nor consider the things of old.

Isaiah 43:19a, NKJV Behold (see), I will do a new thing, now it shall spring forth; shall you not know it?

Isaiah 43:19b, NKJV I will even make a road in the wilderness and rivers in the desert.

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Malachi 3:6, NKJV “For I am the Lord, I do not change...”

Isaiah 40:8, NKJV “The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God stands forever.”

Proverbs 3:5-6, NKJV Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths.

Daniel 2:21, NKJV He changes the times and the seasons; He removes kings and raises up kings; He gives wisdom to the wise and knowledge to those who have understanding.

Daniel 2:22, NKJV He reveals deep and secret things; He knows what is in the darkness, and light dwells with Him.