“When we limit change or even enjoyment in our lives to the times when everything falls into place just as we want, it’s a bit like refusing to drive unless every stoplight we come across is green.” - Holley Gerth

Ephesians 1:18-20 (CEV)
My prayer is that light will flood your hearts and that you will understand the hope that was given to you when God chose you. Then you will discover the glorious blessings that will be yours together with all of God’s people. I want you to know about the great and mighty power that God has for us followers. It is the same wonderful power he used when he raised Christ from death and let him sit at his right side in heaven.

Psalm 27:13-14 (AMP)
[What, what would have become of me] had I not believed that I would see the Lord’s goodness in the land of the living! Wait and hope for and expect the Lord; be brave and of good courage and let your heart be stout and enduring. Yes, wait for and hope for and expect the Lord.

Verse 14 will never be a reality in our lives until the truth of verse 13 is a reality in our hearts.
Our problem with faith is not the inability to hear His voice – it’s the willingness to hear others. – Bill Johnson

1 Corinthians 2:1-10

“Choosing just one word for the year keeps me focused. It keeps me sane. And it leaves me a whole lot more successful and satisfied with life. Especially because, when I force myself to funnel my hopes and goals for an entire year into a single word or phrase, I also force myself to focus on what truly matters and what will make an eternal difference in my life and the lives of those I care about. See? Way more satisfying than pretending like this is the year I’m going to start flossing.” – Mary Carver

For Further Study

Ezekiel 11:19, 20; 36:26
Psalms and Isaiah say over and over to sing a NEW song to the Lord
Lamentations 3:22
Isaiah 43:18-19
Romans 6:4; 7:6
1 Corinthians 1:24-25
2 Corinthians 4
2 Corinthians 5:7 and 17, 18
Galatians 6:15 (read in Amplified Bible if possible)
Colossians 3:10
Ephesians 4:24
Look up verses on new/newness in your concordance.