

ROMANS

Session 7: The Result IV

Romans 1-7 Recap

Read Romans 7:24-8:1

How does the first verse of chapter 8 answer the cry of 7:24-25?

Read Romans 8:1 & 2

How might these truths impact your everyday battles with sin?

Read Romans 8:3-4

What do you think Paul is trying to say here?

Finish these thoughts:

- 1) We stand under the banner of no condemnation because God sent Jesus in the flesh to...
- 2) God did this for the purpose of having...
- 3) This "in Christ" verdict of no condemnation is our so long as we...

Read Romans 8:5-8

Living According to the Flesh
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vs.

Living According to the Spirit
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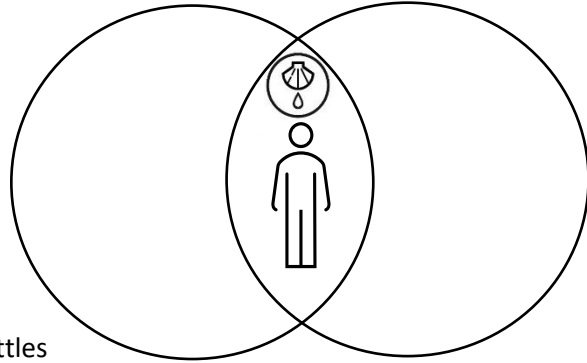
See Galatians 5:16-22 for an illustration of these two ways of living...

Read Romans 8:9-11

In one sentence, what is the good news for Christians in this passage?

See for Colossians 3:1-3 for what this looks like in action.

The Already and Not Yet



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Read Romans 8:12-13

This is our battle in the already and not yet.

1st, note by what power we put to death the deeds of the body: The Holy Spirit

1) He is the one who takes away our _____ (Ezek. 36:26-27)

2) He convicts us of our _____ (John 16:18)

3) He gives us _____ (John 16:14-15)

The implication of this is we make use of God's means for the Holy Spirit to work in our lives

-We _____ for the Holy Spirit to do his work

* See Ephesians 6:10-20

-We _____ of God's Word both on Sunday's and throughout the week.

-We _____ on others who know that same Word to help us in our temptations and trails

Put to death the deeds of the body?

To "put to death" the sinful deeds of our body is to constantly contend and fight against them while at the same time continuing to live out the new realities of the Spirit.

It's a Spirit driven and often painful _____ to sin and _____ to God.

No

Matthew 5:29-30

Mark 8:34

Romans 6:12-13

Colossians 3:5

Galatians 5:24

1 Corinthians 9:24-27

Yes

John 15:4-5

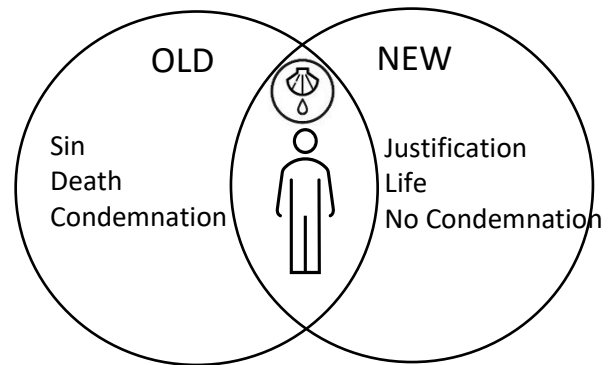
Romans 6:11, 13

Romans 7:4

Galatians 5:16, 22

Colossians 3:12-17

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Application

This week, pray that God will help you be mindful of those places you have let sin be in your life.

If some areas pop up, pray for the Holy Spirit to help you root them out.

Spend some time in the Scriptures above and maybe even bring other in to help you both put off your sin and put on your baptismal identity of being "in Christ."

