

Message:

Life In The Can 2

It's Your Story, What Are You Making of it?**Scripture Text:****Romans 8, Galatians 5****This Message & Others can be found at: www.mycrossfire.com****Announcements: Don't forget the lunch at Dicky Joes Lunch today. Friday is our Saint Patrick Day Dinner.****Introduction:** When We Get Squeezed, What Comes Out Reveals Who We Really Are. The Story Line is affected by our choices even of the outcome remains the same!**Review: Am I Living In the Can? Start Living In Your Should!**

1 Cor 10: 23-33, Ro 5:12-21; 6:1-23; 7:1-25, James 1:5-8, 1 Cor 10:3-6

IT'S YOUR LIFE STORY LIVE IT & TELL IT!

We have a Story/Testimony of the life of flesh or life of the Spirit!
 A Story of Tragedy or a Story of Victory to Victory through Adversity.

We are no longer under the law but the grace of the Spirit of God.

1. Our Story Is Non-Fiction (True To Life!) What Kind of Story Will It Be?

Luke 6:43-49 - THIS IS A GREAT STORY OF ENDURANCE OR TRAGEDY OF COLLAPSE!

2. Set Your Mind: What's Your Story Line? The Big Picture! Not the Big Struggle, Not Your Biggest Failure, What Do You Want Your Story To Tell, To Be?

You May Not Know The Details But Determine Now, That Your Story Will End Good!

Romans 8:1-39

1 There is therefore now no condemnation to those who are in Christ Jesus, who do not walk according to the flesh, but according to the Spirit.....

Galatians 5:1-26 Stand fast therefore in the liberty by which Christ has made us free

Why Did Jesus Set You Free? _____

TO BE FREE! (FREE FROM SIN & DEATH). TO BE FREE IN DEED! NOT A SLAVE TO RELIGION!

ROMANS 8:1-39

7 Because the ^[fleshly] carnal mind *is* enmity against God;
for it is not subject to the law of God, nor indeed can be. **8 So then, those who are in the
flesh cannot please God.**

- You live in the Can and you will not bring forth Gods will! (CANNOT)!

3. IT'S YOUR STORY: Be The Who & Do You Were Created To Be

Romans 8:9-11

THIS IS YOUR FREEDOM STORY, LIVE IT:

WHAT AND WHO ARE YOU IN DEBT TO? _____

*** THE DIRECTOR OF THIS STORY NEEDS YOU TO FOLLOW HIS DIRECTION:**

The Holy Spirit is Our Director and would like to make this Potential Tragic Story an Award Winning Example of Victory but for that to happen. He Needs to Direct You To Be What He Called You To Be! Follow His Direction.

IT'S REALLY GOING TO BE A GREAT STORY, WITH A POWERFUL ENDING

Conclusions:

**The Only Way To Change What You DO, Is To Change Who You ARE,
The Only Way To Change Who You Are, Is Change What You Think!
When You Change What You Think You Will Be, You Will Be Who and Do
You Were Created To Be.**

Next Message: Life In The Can Part 3 - You Were Created For This! Why It Even Matters!

What did I LEARN most? _____

How will I LIVE out what I Learned? _____

How can I GIVE it, or help someone else with what I have learned? _____

I Choose to be a Life-Giver, This Week In This Way? _____