

Thinking Biblical Thoughts

“...about Holiness”

Romans 7:18-8:2

We want to do more, but we do less. We want to reach higher, but we fall lower. We want to be better, but we seem to get worse. This is the conflict within every believer's life. This familiar war is common ground for Jesus followers, but it is a winnable war by His Spirit.

1. Dilemma of the Christian Life (7:18-24)

- **Disappointing Situation (vv.18-19)**
- **Dangerous Stranger (vv.20-23)**
- **Desperate Statement (v.24)**

2. Victory of the Christian Life (7:25-8:2)

- **Salvation Proclaimed (v.25)**
- **Supernatural Assistance Promised (vv.1, 2)**