

## Sermon Title: The PILGRIM'S *Progress Through* ROMANS #17 The Believer's *Blessed Struggle* "Evidence of Their Sanctification" Scripture Reading: Romans 7:14-23

- 1. The Dual nature(s) of the believer: Rom. 7:14
- a. The *carnal nature* of "the Flesh" Rom. 7:5/John 3:6
- b. The *disapproval* of the spiritual/Mind Rom. 7:15/Ps. 97:10
- c. The *weakness* of the New Nature Rom. 7:18/Matt. 26:41/John 6:63/Rom. 6:19
- 2. The <u>Affirmation</u> of my New identity: Rom. 7:19-20
- a. The Sin/nature is mine but not ME Ps. 51:3, 6; 32:1-5
- b. The FREEDOM to be HONEST Rom. 7:21/Luke 8:15

## 3. His Delight in GOD'S Righteous LAW: Rom. 7:22-25

- a. GOD'S Glory revealed in it Ps. 1:2; 119:97
- b. Christ's REDEMPTION Fulfilled in it Ps. 40:7
- c. The Believer's HOPE confirmed in it Jer. 15:16/2 Pet. 1:3-4