

Liberated and Living Like It

Romans 6:3-14
December 4, 2022



Sermon Text

Romans 6:3-5

- 3) Or do you not know that as many of us as were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death?
- 4) Therefore, we were buried with Him through baptism into death, that just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life.
- 5) For if we have been united together in the likeness of His death, certainly we also shall be in the likeness of His resurrection,

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Romans 6:6-10

- 6) knowing this, that our old man was crucified with Him, that the body of sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves of sin.
- 7) For he who has died has been freed from sin.
- 8) Now if we died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with Him,
- 9) knowing that Christ, having been raised from the dead, dies no more. Death no longer has dominion over Him.
- 10) For the death that He died, He died to sin once for all; but the life that He lives, He lives to God.

Sermon Text

Romans 6:11-13

- 11) Likewise you also, reckon yourselves to be dead indeed to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus our Lord.
- 12) Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal body, that you should obey it in its lusts.
- 13) And do not present your members as instruments of unrighteousness to sin, but present yourselves to God as being alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness to God.

Justified

- God's righteousness granted by believing Him
- Cost of
- Risk of
- Rejection of



Grace-killer,

1 Self



Grace-killer #1...

Sin-consciousness



Grace-enabling...

Liberated-consciousness



To live liberated...

What we MUST KNOW

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What we MUST CONSIDER

- 11) Likewise you also, reckon yourselves to be dead indeed to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

CSB

So, you too consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

GNB

In the same way you are to think of yourselves as dead, so far as sin is concerned, but living in fellowship with God through Christ Jesus.

MSG

From now on, think of it this way: Sin speaks a dead language that means nothing to you; God speaks your mother tongue, and you hang on every word. You are dead to sin and alive to God. That's what Jesus did.

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What we MUST PRESENT

- 13) And do not present your members as instruments of unrighteousness to sin, but present yourselves to God as being alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness to God.
- 14) For sin shall not have dominion over you, for you are not under law but under grace.

Romans 12:1-2

I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service.

And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.

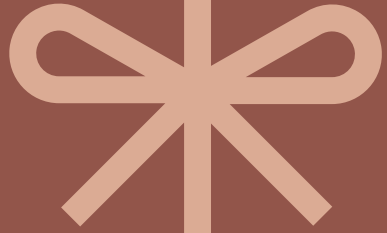
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BY

- **Knowing**
- **Considering**
- **Presenting**

Prayer Challenge for the Week

My Lord and Savior. I am Your child—liberated and depending on Your power. Today is your day in which I am giving myself to You to live through me for Your glory. Please work through my eyes, my mouth, and through my thoughts and actions to carry out Your victory. And, Lord, please do that all day long. When I face temptations, I will present myself to You and claim the strength You give to handle it. Sin has no authority over me any longer and I will walk in that today all day.



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