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#### Romans 6:1-14

<sup>1</sup> What shall we say, then? Shall we go on sinning so that grace may increase? <sup>2</sup> By no means! We are those who have died to sin; how can we live in it any longer? <sup>3</sup> Or don't you know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? <sup>4</sup> We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

<sup>5</sup> For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly also be united with him in a resurrection like his. <sup>6</sup> For we know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body ruled by sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves to sin—<sup>7</sup> because anyone who has died has been set free from sin.

<sup>8</sup> Now if we died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. <sup>9</sup> For we know that since Christ was raised from the dead, he cannot die again; death no longer has mastery over him. <sup>10</sup> The death he died, he died to sin once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. <sup>11</sup> In the same way, count yourselves dead to sin but alive to God in Christ Jesus. <sup>12</sup> Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal body so that you obey its evil desires. <sup>13</sup> Do not offer any part of yourself to sin as an instrument of wickedness, but rather offer yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life; and offer every part of yourself to him as an instrument of righteousness. <sup>14</sup> For sin shall no longer be your master, because you are not under the law, but under grace.

#### Dead to sin, alive in Christ.

#### Romans 5:20

<sup>20</sup>...But where sin increased, grace increased all the more

There is a difference between receiving grace, and letting it transform you.

To know God is to love Him. To love Him is to want to obey Him.

John 14:15 <sup>15</sup> "If you love me, keep my commands.

#### Titus 2:11-12

<sup>11</sup> For the grace of God has appeared that offers salvation to all people. <sup>12</sup> It teaches us to say "No" to ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright and godly lives in this present age,



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#### **Ephesians 5:10** <sup>10</sup> and find out what pleases the Lord.

We died to sin: the obligation to give in to sin has been rendered powerless.

Its power over us has been removed by the Blood of Jesus!

Sin does not die in us unless we kill it!

We must continue to kill sin and our old (sin) nature!

#### Galatians 2:20

<sup>20</sup> I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

## Colossians 3:1-7

<sup>1</sup> Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. <sup>2</sup> Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. <sup>3</sup> For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God. <sup>4</sup> When Christ, who is your life, appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.
<sup>5</sup> Put to death, therefore, whatever belongs to your earthly nature: sexual immorality, impurity, lust, evil desires and greed, which is idolatry. <sup>6</sup> Because of these, the wrath of God is coming. <sup>7</sup> You used to walk in these ways, in the life you once lived.

## Baptize: To completely immerse (as in water)

## 2 Corinthians 5:17

<sup>17</sup> Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation has come: The old has gone, the new has come!

## Matt 3:11

<sup>11</sup> "I baptize you with water for repentance. But after me comes one who is more powerful than I, whose sandals I am not worthy to carry. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire.

## Mark 1:8

<sup>8</sup> I baptize you with water, but he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit."



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To die to our old self in Christ is to really live!

Do you ever feel like you are a slave to your struggle?

#### Romans 5:20

<sup>20</sup> The law was brought in so that the trespass might increase. But where sin increased, grace increased all the more,

The law was given to us to expose our sin, so we could see our need for forgiveness.

The law points us back to our moral bankruptcy and our desperate need to call out in faith!

The law condemned us!

#### Romans 8:1-2

<sup>1</sup> Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus, <sup>2</sup> because through Christ Jesus the law of the Spirit who gives life has set you free from the law of sin and death.

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