

# Freedom From Sin

*Romans 6:12-13*

## Romans KEY 1:16-17

1-3 All in sin

4 Abraham

5-8 Freedom wrath, sin, law, death

9-11: God saves believers, Israel lost disobedience, can be saved

12-16 Christian living, gov., brethren, future of Paul, notes

Introduction: Beauty of grace

Two dangers of misunderstanding

Legalism: adding more

Licentiousness: taking away

Study Romans 6

6:1 What shall we say then? Shall we continue in sin that grace may abound?

6:15 What then? Shall we sin because we are not under law but under grace? Certainly not!

## ***Christians do not sin because....***

### **We Are Growing in Christ, v. 2-4**

Our conversion, v. 3-4 Baptized into Jesus, baptized into his death

Our walk in newness of life, v. 4

### **We Are Resurrected in Christ, v. 5-11**

We are resurrected with Christ, v. 5. *Beauty of the resurrection*

For if we have been united together in the likeness of His death, certainly we also shall be *in the likeness* of His resurrection,

The old man (sin) is dead, the new man is alive, v 11

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

### **We Are Alive in Christ, v. 12-13**

Not instruments of unrighteousness, v. 13

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

Life to Christ means death to sin, 12

Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal body, that you should obey it in its lusts

### **We Are Committed to Christ, v. 14-19**

Shall we sin because of grace? NO v. 15

We are slaves to God, not to sin, v. 16

Do you not know that to whom you present yourselves slaves to obey, you are that one's slaves whom you obey, whether of sin *leading* to death, of obedience *leading* to righteousness?

You obeyed from the heart, v. 17

But God be thanked that *though* you were slaves of sin, yet you obeyed from the heart that **form** of doctrine to which you were delivered.

### **We Must Show Evidence of Christ, v. 20-23**

Not evil fruit, v. 21

What fruit did you have then in the things of which you are now ashamed? For the end of those things *is* death

Rom 6:23 Wages of sin is death

But fruit to holiness, v. 22

But having been set free from sin, and having become slaves of God, you have your fruit to holiness, and the end, everlasting life.