

The Wages of Sin

Romans 3:15-23

Introduction: Life is about choices

Deuteronomy 30:19

Joshua 24:15

For the Wages of Sin Is Death...

Romans 6:15-16 What then? **Shall we sin because we are not under law but under grace?** Certainly not! **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, or of obedience *leading* to righteousness?

What is sin?

1 John 3:4, James 4:17

Isaiah 59:1-2, Ezekiel 18:20

We are called to holiness

Romans 6:17-19, 1 Peter 1:16, 2 Peter 2:20-22

But The Gift Of God Is Eternal Life In Christ Jesus Our Lord.

Romans 6:20-23 For when you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. **21** What fruit did you have then in the things of which you are now ashamed? For the end of those things *is* death. **22** But now having been set free from sin, and having become slaves of God, you have your fruit to holiness, and the end, everlasting life. **23** For the wages of sin *is* death, but the gift of God *is* eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

John 3:17, 2 Corinthians 5:21

How are we saved?

Romans 6:3-4 Or do you not know that as many of us as were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death? 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

Acts 22:16