

SIN VS. THE SPIRIT

Romans 7

- I. We were all once in a covenant with THE LAW.
 - A. Through the death of Christ, we have been RELEASED from that covenant.
 - B. In the same way, we are also called to die a SPIRITUAL death.

- II. The Law lays out a moral code that aligns with God's HEART and His WILL.
 - A. It DEFINES what is righteousness, and what is sin.
 - B. The problem is: WE AREN'T VERY GOOD AT FOLLOWING THE LAW!
 - C. Our inability to follow the Law shows us just how LOST we are.
 - D. The contrast between CONDEMNATION as a sinner and ACQUITTAL as a believer in Christ shows how praise-worthy God really is.

- III. Even though we're no longer bound by the Law, we're still CALLED to leave sin behind and live righteously.
 - A. But even though the Law is of the SPIRIT, we are of the FLESH.
 - B. There's a BATTLE between our old selves and our new selves.
 - C. But ultimately, Jesus Christ has come to DELIVER us from death!

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drawing people who need Jesus to know and grow in Him.

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