Sermon Notes





LESSON 9

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Slave and Free

Read Romans 6:1-23 and answer the following questions:

- I. (6:1) What question does Paul ask and what answer does he give?
- 2. (6:2) Why should we no longer sin?
- 3. (6:3) Into what were we baptized?
- 4. (6:4) What is the result of being baptized into Jesus?
- 5. (6:5) In what two ways are we united with Christ?
- 6. (6:6) Why should we no longer be slaves to sin?
- 7. (6:8) In what two ways are we connected to Christ?
- 8. (6:9-10) What two things are true of Christ after his resurrection?
- 9. (6:11) As a result of Christ's death and resurrection, how are we to consider ourselves?

10: (6:12-13) What should we therefore NOT DO and what SHOULD we do? 11: (6:1-13) Why does the doctrine of grace lead to holiness instead of more sin? 12. (6:15) What question does Paul ask and what answer does he give? 13. (6:16) What is a principle of slavery? 14. (6:16) Name two kinds of slavery and the result of each. 15. (6:17-18) Contrast your past with the present. 16. (6:19) What was formerly true compared to what should now be true? 17. (6:20-21) What was the end result of being a slave to sin? 18. (6:22) What is the end result of being a slave to God? 19. (6:23) What is the summary? 20. (6:15-23) Why does the doctrine of grace lead to holiness instead of more sin?

Personal Reflection

Practically speaking, describe what it means to be dead to sin.

We are slaves to someone or something. Who is your master (in desire and practice)?

What, if anything, keeps you bound to sin? What is your greatest hindrance to abandoning sin? What would have to happen in order for you to be free?

What gives you the ability to choose to believe and live the concepts in this chapter?

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Memory Verse: Romans 6:6-7

"For we know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves to sin because anyone who has died has been freed from sin."

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