

CAN YOU LIVE A HOLY LIFE APART FROM THE LAW? – (Pt. 1) (Romans 7:1-6)

* What are two imbalances to the Christian life?

* What does it mean that the believer is “not under law, but under grace?”

SIN AND CONDEMNATION (1:18-3:20) ... Righteousness Required

SALVATION AND JUSTIFICATION (3:21-5:21) ... Righteousness Received

SALVATION AND SANCTIFICATION (6:1-8:17) ... Righteousness Reproduced

B. POSITIONAL Sanctification. (6:1-10)

C. PRACTICAL Sanctification. (6:11-23)

D. POWERLESS Sanctification. (7:1-25)

1. The BELIEVER’S Relationship to the LAW (7:1-6)

Those ADDRESSED ... “brethren” (7:1a)

a. The word “brethren” describes a _____ .

b. This means that these truths specifically refer to those in the
_____ .

The ASSERTION ... “Do you not know ... that the law has dominion over a man as long as he lives?” (7:1b)

c. Paul appeals to their prior or present _____ of law in order to set forth a basic principle.

* Some Truths About the Mosaic Law

- The PEOPLE of the law consisted of _____ .
- The PROPOSITION of the law was basically _____
or _____ .
- The PARTS of the law were three: the _____ , _____ , and _____ . However, they were one indivisible _____ .
- The PERIOD of the law lasted _____ .
- The PRIMARY PURPOSES of the law were to _____ and _____ .
- The PUNISHMENT of the law includes _____ .

d. The basic principle being emphasized in verse one is simply that _____ .

The ANALOGY (7:2-3)

e. This illustration involves a _____ , a _____ , and a _____ .

f. Paul simply states that a woman is _____ by law to her husband as long as he lives. However, if the woman's husband _____ , she is released from the law that bound her to her husband and is free to be _____ to another husband.

The APPLICATIONS (7:4-6)

g. Every believer has _____ to the _____ . (7:4-5)

* Why does this matter?

* How was this provided?

* Why was this accomplished?

* What should this result in?

* Acts 15:1-20; Galatians 2:16-21; Ephesians 2:14-18

h. Every believer has been _____ from the _____ . (7:5-6)

* Why was this necessary?

* What does this mean?

* What should this result in?

* 2 Corinthians 3