

Buried with Him
Romans 6:1-11

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I. New life begins with death. Romans 6:1-2

1. If God's grace _____ (**abounds**) when we sin, then why shouldn't we continue in a sinful lifestyle and allow His grace to overflow more?
2. If we are no longer _____ by the Law of Moses, then we can live any way we see fit. **Galatians 5:13**
3. Some thought that Paul was claiming it was the Law's fault sin abounds so, Paul was claiming God's Law is _____. **Romans 7:7**

II. Baptized into His death. Romans 6:3-5

"Just as we are identified with Adam in sin and condemnation, so we are now _____ with Christ in righteousness and justification."

(Wiersbe)

- The word *baptizō* in Greek means to immerse, to submerge or to _____. That is why we practice immersion when we baptize believers who publicly identify themselves with Christ.
1. _____ receives the baptism of the Holy Spirit? **1 Corinthians 12:13**
 2. _____ does baptism of the Holy Spirit take place?
 3. _____ does Baptism of the Holy Spirit do for a believer?

III. If you are in Christ, you died. Romans 6:6-11

The words "**done away with**" in **Romans 6:6**, means to render idle, unemployed, inactive, or _____.

- *"In us there was nothing even to sicken and to weaken our old man, much less to murder him by _____; God had to do this."* (Richard Lenski)

"Shall the spiritual live as the carnal? How can you that were the servants of sin, but have been made free by _____ blood, go back to your old slavery?" (C. H. Spurgeon)

IV. Practical Application. Colossians 3:8-10, 12

1. **Tender** _____.
2. _____.
3. _____.
4. _____.
5. _____.

Small Group Discussion

Looking back at your notes from this week's sermon, was there anything that particularly caught your attention, challenged, or confused you?

1. Read **Romans 6:1-2**. Discuss the three illogical, rhetorical questions Paul addressed from point I. of the sermon note sheet.
Isaiah 59:1-2, Galatians 5:13, Romans 7:7-8, 1 John 1:8-10
2. Read **Romans 6:3-5**. Discuss the statement from Warren Wiersbe who said, *"The basic truth Paul was teaching is the believer's identification with Christ in death, burial, and resurrection."*
3. Read **1 Corinthians 12:13** and discuss the three questions in point II. of the sermon note sheet regarding spiritual baptism. *How are we spiritually baptized?*
2 Corinthians 5:17, Ephesians 2:8-9, Ephesians 5:18
4. Read **Romans 6:6-11**. Discuss the meaning of the spiritual truth, *"If you are in Christ, you died"*. *What does it mean to be raised with Christ? What does new life in Christ mean?*
John 3:1-6, Galatians 2:20, Ephesians 2:1-2, 1 Peter 1:3-5
5. Read **Colossians 3:8-12** and discuss the practical application of the sermon. Discuss the four points listed in the practical application section of the Sunday sermon note sheet.
Colossians 3:1, Romans 12:15, Romans 8:13, Proverbs 4:23, Galatians 5:22-23