# **Christian World View** THE STATES OF MAN 3<sup>rd</sup> · the spiritual man Romans 6:1-14

the spiritual life · Romans

	the epistle to the Romans														
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
the gospel · explained								defended			applied				

the gospel · explained · salvation

the <u>need</u> of salvation · the problem of sin and death

Romans 1:16 - 3:20 · all under sin · all without excuse

the way of salvation · by grace through faith in Christ

Romans 3:21 – 4:25 1 justification



the spiritual life · Romans 6



#### the spiritual strategy · Romans 6:1-14

the question · Shall we go on sinning (~) that grace may increase?

- Romans 6:1-10 · the position · baptism & union
- Romans 6:11 · the power · imputation
- Romans 6:12-14 · the presentation · put off & put on

#### the spiritual strategy · Romans 6:15-23

the question  $\cdot$  Is one act of sin (X) permissible?

only two masters · two slaves · two presentations · two outcomes

- **1** presentations to sin → impurity & lawlessness the wages of sin = death
- 2 presentations to obedience  $\rightarrow$  righteousness  $\cdot$  sanctification the gift of God = eternal life

the spiritual strategy · Romans 6:1-14



- the position · Romans 6:1-10 "who you are!"
  - 2 the power · Romans 6:11 "what you tell yourself!"
  - the presentation · Romans 6:12-14 "what you do!"

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1 the position · Romans 6:1-10 · "who you are!"

principle (2): since we died to sin · then we no longer live in sin

**baptism** (3-4): all baptized into Christ's death  $\cdot$  we were buried with Christ all baptized into Christ's resurrection · we were raised with Christ » to walk in newness of life

union (5-7): we have become united with Christ in the likeness of His death we have become united with Christ in the likeness of His resurrection truth → our old man was crucified with Christ (6) purpose  $\rightarrow$  that our body of sin might be done away with (6) purpose → that we should not longer be slaves of sin (6) truth  $\rightarrow$  he who has died is freed from sin (7)

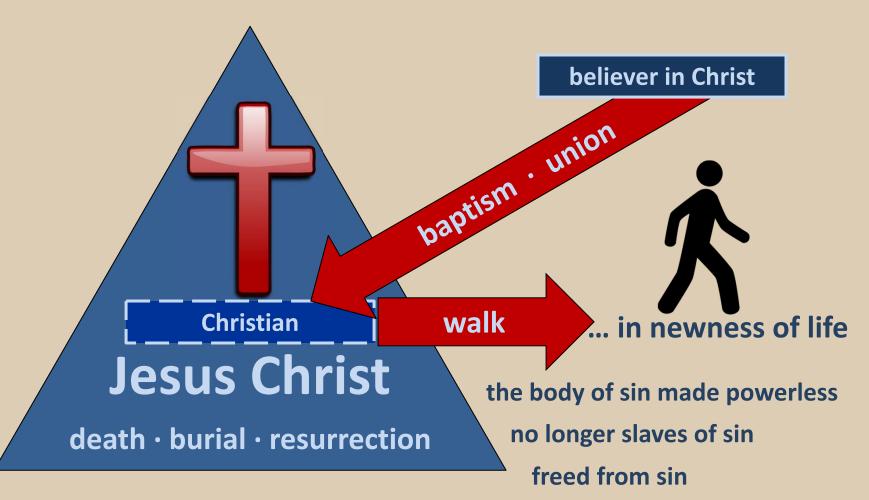
principle (8-10): since we died with Christ then we shall live with Christ the resurrected Christ is never to die again death no longer is master over Christ the death that Christ died · He died to sin · once for all but · the life that Christ lives · He lives to God

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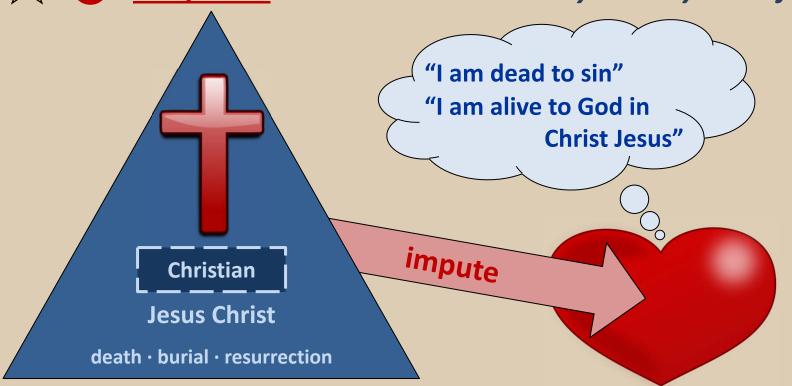
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"Even so consider (~! mid) yourselves to be dead to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus" (Romans 6:11).

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#### STOP the reign of sin as king in your life!

"Therefore do not let sin reign (~!-) in your mortal body that you should obey its lusts, ..." (Romans 6:12).

#### STOP setting yourself alongside! DECISIVELY set yourself alongside!

"... and do not go on presenting (~!–) the members of your body to sin as instruments of unrighteousness; but present (X!) yourselves to God as those alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness to God" (Romans 6:13).

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