

LIVING IN VICTORY

Pt 2

Romans 6:12-14

Two requirements for living victoriously over sin...

I. RIGHT THINKING

11 Even so consider yourselves to be dead to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus.

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Phil 1:23 – I have the desire to depart and be with Christ...

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James 1:14 – ...each one is tempted when he is carried away and enticed by his own lust.

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John 18:3 - ...the Roman cohort and officers ...came there with lanterns and torches and weapons.

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DAVID PETERSON – *The natural capacities and abilities that God has given us are weapons that must no longer be put in the service of the master from whom we have been freed.*

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13...but present yourselves to God as those alive from the dead and your members as instruments of righteousness to God.

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*1 Cor 6:20 – For you have been bought with a price:
therefore glorify God in your body.*

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1 Cor 9:20 - To the Jews I became as a Jew, so that I might win Jews; to those who are under the Law, as under the Law though not being myself under the Law, so that I might win those who are under the Law;

Gal 3:23 - But before faith came, we were kept in custody under the law, being shut up to the faith which was later to be revealed.

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Gal 3:10, 21-25

Gal 4:4-5 - 4... sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the Law, 5 so that He might redeem those who were under the Law..

Gal 5:18 - But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the Law.

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John 1:17 - For the Law was given through Moses; grace and truth were realized through Jesus Christ.

Titus 2:11-12 – 11 For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation to all men, 12 instructing us to deny ungodliness and worldly desires and to live sensibly, righteously and godly in the present age...

CONCLUSIONS...

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HARRY BLAMIRES – *As a thinking being, the modern Christian has succumbed to secularization...we Christians in the modern world accept (a) frame of reference constructed by the secular mind and a set of criteria reflecting secular evaluations.*

Rom 12:3; 1 Thes 4:11-12; Eph 4:28

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