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The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law-THE PRE-CONVERSION EXPERIENCE OF ROMANS 7
Lesson 7 Course Questions

- 1) Is Paul referring to Christian experience in Romans 7:5 or re-Christian experience?
- 2) Does "in the flesh" refer to the physical body or living in sin? (Galatians 5:19-24)
- 3) Can we tell what the flesh is by looking at the deeds of the flesh? (Galatians 5:19-21)
- 4) Explain what Paul says about living in sin in Romans 6:1, 4, 5-8, 13-16, 22, etc.
- 5) Does the law make known what sin really is? (Romans 7:7; 3:20; 1 John 3:4; Galatians 3:24)
- 6) Who is the law not for and who is the law for? (1 Timothy 1:8-11)
- 7) In regard to "all manner of evil desire", does Paul speak in present tense "is producing" or past tense "produced"? (Romans 7:8)
- 8) When does a person become spiritually dead? (Romans 7:9)
- 9) When Paul speaks of sin, does he speak in present tense "is deceiving" or past tense "deceived", "is killing" or "killed"? (Romans 7:11)
- 10) Again, when Paul speaks of sin, does he use present tense "is producing" or past tense "was producing"? (Romans 7:13)
- 11) Is this verse showing what he or anyone else is BEFORE they are divinely delivered by the power of Christ? (Romans 7:13; Romans 8:1-4)
- 12) When is the righteous requirement of the law fulfilled in us? (Romans 8:4)
- 13) If you are walking according to the flesh is the law good for you? (1 Timothy 1:8-11)

- 14) In verse 14 when Paul states, "I am carnal, sold under sin", is he stating his current spiritual condition or simply stating occurs under the conditions previously described on the chapter?
- 15) Furthermore, does Paul not frequently apply things figuratively to himself to increase the force of the statement when he is not speaking of his own state but assuming another character? (Romans 3:5; 1 Corinthians 4:6)
- 16) In verse 14-25, is Paul simply explaining how horrible a state a person is in as described in verse 13?
- 17) Is a person a slave to whatever has mastered them? (2 Peter 2:19; John 8:34; 1 John 3:8; Romans 6:14-23)
- 18) How can one be a slave to God and a slave to sin at the same time?
- 19) Is indwelling sin or the flesh crucified at the new birth? (Romans 7:17-18; Galatians 5:24; Colossians 2:11; Romans 6:5-8
- 20) Why can the person described not carry out the good? (Romans 7:18)
- 21) Is being overpowered by the lusts of sin and doing evil Christian fruits or of the devil? (Romans 7:19-20; 1 John 3:8-9)
- 22) Is deliverance coming near? (Romans 7:21-25)
- 23) When is one finally free from sin and death? (Romans 8:1-14)
- 24) Is there a sacrifice for willful sin after we have received the knowledge of the truth? (Hebrews 10:26-

Extra Credit: Study Paul's own life and some of the things he taught. On a separate sheet of paper write down some of these things. (Paul's own life: Eph.3:8; 1Cor.4:17; Php.4:9; 1Ths.2:10; 2Cor.1:12; Ac.23:1 He taught: 1Cor.6:9-11; 11:1; Gal.5:19-21; Eph.4:20-24; Eph.5:3-8; Col.3:5-6; Col.3:5-9; Rom.6;8)

Let us all look at the Bible as the will of God, read it, study it and put it into practice!

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