



“Spiritual Growth”

Life Out of Death Principle

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Introduction: *Spiritual growth requires victory over indwelling sin*

Exercise the principle of _____.

1. The _____ out of _____ principle affects spiritual growth. [Jhn 12:24]

1) The immeasurable great _____ of the resurrection. [Eph 1:18-20; Pbl 3:10]

2) Resurrection power _____ the mortal body. [Rom 8:11; Col 1:29]

3) Our resurrected _____ provides access to God’s gracious power. [Heb 8:6;4:16]

2. Sanctification is by _____ and through _____. [Col 2:6]

1) by _____. [Eph 1:3]

2) through _____. [Rom 6:11]

3. We are _____, _____, and _____ in heavenly places in Christ. [Rom 6:3-4; Eph 2:4-6]

1) to put off the _____ man. [Rom 6:6; Col 3:8-9; Eph 4:21-22]

2) and put on the _____ man. [Gal 3:27; Col 3:10; Eph 4:24]

4. God will _____ His work in you.

1) He gives new _____ & _____. [Pbl 2:12-13]

2) He will accomplish His _____ for you. [Pbl 1:6]

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1. For our indwelling sin nature...

- 11 Likewise you also, **reckon** yourselves to be dead indeed to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus our Lord. [Rom 6:11 NKJV]
- 20 "I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the [life] which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me. [Gal 2:20 NKJV]

2. For our personal sins?

Put off.... [lay aside]

Eph 4:21 Lay aside aorist infinitive middle

The old man corrupted by **deceitful lusts**. = your mind deceives your affections to desire sin which =s death

ἀποτίθημι **apotíthēmi**, ap-ot-eeth'-ay-mee; from G575 and G5087; to put away (literally or figuratively):—cast off, lay apart (aside, down), put away (off).

- robes at the feet of Saul [Acts 7:58]
- the deeds of darkness. [Rom 13:12 NASB]
- falsehood, [Eph 4:25 NASB]
- anger, wrath, malice, slander, [and] abusive speech from your mouth. [Col 3:8 NASB]
- every encumbrance and the sin which so easily entangles us... [Heb 12:1 NASB]
- all filthiness and [all] that remains of wickedness [Jas 1:21 NASB]
- all malice and all deceit and hypocrisy and envy and all slander, [1Pe 2:1 NASB]

Put on...

ἐνδύω **endýō**, en-doo'-o; from G1722 and G1416 (in the sense of sinking into a garment); to invest with clothing (literally or figuratively):—array, clothe (with), endue, have (put) on.

- put on his royal apparel, [Act 12:21 NASB]
- put on the armor of light. [Rom 13:12 NASB]
- put on the Lord Jesus Christ... [Rom 13:14 NASB]
- put on the imperishable, and this mortal must put on immortality. [1Co 15:53 NASB]
- having put it on, will not be found naked. [2Co 5:3 NASB]
- have clothed yourselves with Christ. [Gal 3:27 NASB]
- put on the new self, which in [the likeness of] God has been created in righteousness and holiness of the truth. [Eph 4:24 NASB]
- Put on the full armor of God, [Eph 6:11 NASB]
- HAVING PUT ON THE BREASTPLATE OF RIGHTEOUSNESS, [Eph 6:14 NASB]
- have put on the new self who is being renewed to a true knowledge according to the image of the One who created him-- [Col 3:10 NASB]
- put on a heart of compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience; [Col 3:12 NASB]
- having put on the breastplate of faith and love, and as a helmet, the hope of salvation. [1Th 5:8 NASB]
- enter into households and captivate weak women weighed down with sins, led on by various impulses, [2Ti 3:6 NASB]
- 13 and in the middle of the lampstands [I saw] one like a son of man, clothed [G1746] in a robe reaching to the feet, and girded across His chest with a golden sash. [Rev 1:13 NASB]
- 6 and the seven angels who had the seven plagues came out of the temple, clothed [G1746] in linen, clean [and] bright, and girded around their chests with golden sashes. [Rev 15:6 NASB]
- 14 And the armies which are in heaven, clothed [G1746] in fine linen, white [and] clean, were following Him on white horses. [Rev 19:14 NASB]