



“The Ground for Growth”

Romans 8:1-8

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The ground for spiritual growth is in Christ Jesus.

1. The law of the Spirit of life gives us _____ over sin. v1-3

The law of the Spirit of life declares... v1

1) ...we died _____ for our sins with Christ. Col 3:3

"For you have died and your life is hidden with Christ in God." - Col 3:3 NASB

Neither our failure to do _____ or _____ condemns those in Christ. 7:25

"For the flesh sets its desire against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh; for these are in opposition to one another, so that you may not do the things that you please." - Gal 5:17

Absolutely _____ will be condemned who is in Christ. Psa 32:2

"How blessed is the man to whom the LORD does not impute iniquity, And in whose spirit there is no deceit!" - Psa 32:2 NASB Rom 4:7

Jesus Christ is our _____ of _____ . Num 35:25

"The congregation shall deliver the manslayer from the hand of the blood avenger, and the congregation shall restore him to his city of refuge to which he fled; and he shall live in it until the death of the high priest who was anointed with the holy oil." - Num 35:25 NASB

2) ...we have _____ . 2Co 3:17; Gal 5:1,13; 1Pe 2:16

- "Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, [there] is liberty." - 2Co 3:17
- "It was for freedom that Christ set us free; therefore keep standing firm and do not be subject again to a yoke of slavery." - Gal 5:1 NASB
- "For you were called to freedom, brethren; only [do] not [turn] your freedom into an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another." - Gal 5:13 NASB
- "[Act] as free men, and do not use your freedom as a covering for evil, but [use it] as bondslaves of God." - 1Pe 2:16 NASB

The indwelling Holy Spirit.... v2

...frees us from the law [_____] of sin and death. v2

"For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has set you free from the law of sin and of death." - Rom 8:2 NASB

...is our source of divine power for _____.

It is the indwelling Holy Spirit of God who is the source of divine power for sanctification and the secret for spiritual victory in daily living. BKC

...is the secret of spiritual victory in _____.

The law of sin and death... v2

3) ...was _____ by the Son's offering. v3

"For what the Law could not do, weak as it was through the flesh, God [did:] sending His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and [as an offering] for sin, He condemned sin in the flesh," - Rom 8:3 NASB

🎧 **The Mosaic Law convicts but has no _____ over sin.**

🎧 **The flesh is too _____ to overcome sin.**

🎧 **The law of sin & death _____ until physical death. Rom7:23**

"but I see a different law in the members of my body, waging war against the law of my mind and making me a prisoner of the law of sin which is in my members." - Rom 7:23 NASB

🎧 **God _____ sin in the flesh at the cross.**

The righteousness of the law is _____...

2. ...as we _____ by the Spirit. Gal 5:16

"But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not carry out the desire of the flesh." - Gal 5:16 NASB

1) The _____ has no power to fulfill the righteousness of the Law. v4

"so that the requirement of the Law might be fulfilled in us, who do not walk according to the flesh but according to the Spirit." - Rom 8:4 NASB

🎧 **Do not walk according to the _____.**

🎧 **Walk according to the _____.**

2) The righteousness of the Law is fulfilled as we _____ by the Spirit. Gal 5:16

"But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not carry out the desire of the flesh." - Gal 5:16 NASB

🎧 **Our new _____ can only bring forth righteousness. 1Jo 3:9**

"No one who is born of God practices sin, because His seed abides in him; and he cannot sin, because he is born of God." - 1Jo 3:9 NASB

🎧 **Our _____ of _____ comes by God's Spirit. Tit 3:5**

"Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost;" - Tit 3:5

"The Holy Spirit longs to reveal to you the deeper things of God. He longs to love through you. He longs to work through you. Through the blessed Holy Spirit you may have: strength for every duty, wisdom for every problem, comfort in every sorrow, joy in His overflowing service." T J Bach

3. ...when we _____ our _____ on spiritual things. Titus 2:6

"Young men likewise exhort to be sober minded." - Tit 2:6 KJV

1) The mind set upon the _____ is...

... _____. v5

"For those who are according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those who are according to the Spirit, the things of the Spirit." - Rom 8:5 NASB

... _____. v6

"For the mind set on the flesh is death, but the mind set on the Spirit is life and peace," - Rom 8:6

... _____ toward God. v7

"because the mind set on the flesh is hostile toward God; for it does not subject itself to the law of God, for it is not even able [to do so,]" - Rom 8:7 NASB

...not _____ to the law of God. v7

"because the mind set on the flesh is hostile toward God; for it does not subject itself to the law of God, for it is not even able [to do so,]" - Rom 8:7 NASB

...cannot _____ God. v7

"and those who are in the flesh cannot please God." - Rom 8:8 NASB

2) The mind set upon the _____ is.... v6

"For the mind set on the flesh is death, but the mind set on the Spirit is life and peace," - Rom 8:6

... _____. v5

"The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I came that they may have life, and have [it] abundantly." - Jhn 10:10 NASB

... _____. v6

"Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ," - Rom 5:1 NASB

Law. [νόμος] is used 29xs in Romans 7 & 8. 13xs the law of...

The Law of the _____

the married woman is bound by **law** to her husband 7:3

the **law** concerning the husband.7:3

The Law of _____ through Moses

the **law** of God, 7:25

the **law** of God 8:7

The Law of the _____

the **law** of God in **the** inner man, 7:22

the **law** of my mind 7:23

The Law of our _____
the law that when I want to do good, evil is present with me. 7:21
law in **the** members of my body 7:23
the law of sin which is in my members. 7:23
with my flesh **the law** of sin. 7:25
the law of sin and of death. 8:2

The Law of the _____ **of** _____
the law of **the** Spirit of life 8:2
Christ is the end of **the law** for righteousness 10:4