

Romans 6:4-10
"Newness of Life"

Sun Night
9-29-2024
Paul Chappell



1. Introduction

- a. All Christians baptized into Christ's death
 - symbolism or picture of old sinful human nature needs to "die"

- b. Jesus resurrection is the picture of new life

2. Planting of New Life (vs 5)

- a. Planted in spiritual death

- sanctification - continual growth in spiritual maturity
 - putting to death of human old man
 - Gal 5:19-21 works of the flesh

- b. Grafted into body of Christ

- c. Risen in new life

- united with Christ in newness of life

- 1 Cor 15:

- we shall also live with Christ
 - Christ dies no more

- * we also shall rise from the dead & die no more

3. Purpose of New Life (vs 6-9)

- a. First old man crucified

- body of sin done away
 - no longer slaves of sin
 - dead old man freed from sin
 - death no longer rules over old man

3b. Live with Christ

- now that Christ lives, He lives to God
- count yourself alive to God

c. Christ raised alive out of the grave

4. Founded on God (vs 10)

a. God is the God of the living

- Mk 12:26-27
 - * even when Abraham, Isaac, & Jacob died, God sees them as alive

* God spoke to Moses at the burning bush

* God is not the God of the dead

b. Jesus made sin for us

- 2 Cor 5:21 For He (God) has made Him (Jesus) to be sin for us
 - * Jesus knew no sin
 - * that we could be made the righteousness of God

c. Jesus died to sin once for all

- Heb 10:10 the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once for all
- Heb 7:27 for this He (Jesus) did once when He offered up Himself
- Heb 9:12 by His (Christ) own blood He entered in once into the holy place
- Heb 9:28 Christ was offered once to bear the sins of many
- Heb 10:12 one sacrifice by Christ
- Heb 10:14 one offering Christ did