

# **NEW TESTAMENT BIBLICAL LITERACY**

## **ROMANS – PART FOUR**

### **Chapters 6-8**

#### **Lesson 51**

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# Likely Issues of Roles and Jewish / Gentile Identity



**Blind Justice  
Condemns All**

(1 - 3:20)



**God's  
Sacrifice  
Justly Saves  
the Believer**

(3:21 - 5:21)

# Likely Issues of Roles and Jewish / Gentile Identity



## **How Does Salvation Affect the Way Believers Should Live?**

(Chapters 6 - 8)

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# Paul Hears Romans' Questions



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Can We Sin More  
So There's More  
Grace?

(6:1)

# Greek Phrase of the Day

Heavens No!

No Way!

*Me Genoito*  
(με γενοιτο)  
*Pronounced “May”*

You’ve Got To Be Kidding!

Not On Your Life!

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Can We Sin More  
So There's More Grace?

***Me Genoito!***



# A Significance of Baptism





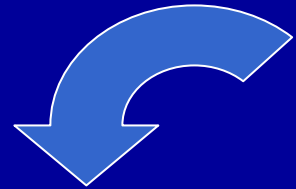
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Sinners'  
Death



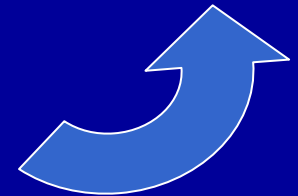
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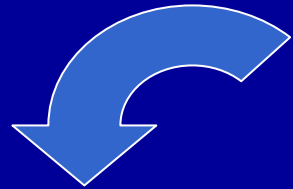
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Resurrected  
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“Died to Sin”

“Old Self Crucified With Him”

“Anyone who has died has been freed from sin”

“Count yourselves dead to sin” (6:11)



*logismos*

***Go To The Bank  
On It!***

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On It!*

*Sin Is No Longer Our  
Master!*

# Paul Hears Romans' Questions



Can We Sin Because  
We're Under Grace?  
(6:15)



# Paul Hears Romans' Questions



Can We Sin Because  
We're Under Grace?  
***Me Genoito!***



We ***WERE***  
Slaves to Sin

We ***ARE***  
Slaves to  
Righteousness

We ***WERE***  
Slaves to Sin



***DEATH***

We ***ARE***  
Slaves to  
Righteousness



***ETERNAL  
LIFE***

# Marriage Example

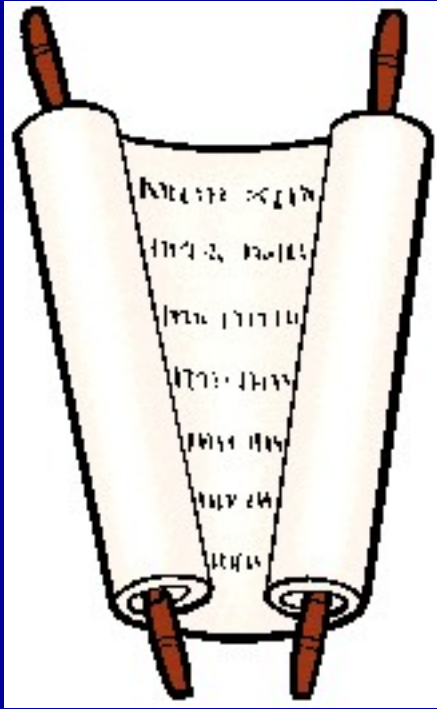
We Belong To  
Christ, Not Sin

# Paul Hears Romans' Questions



So Was the Law Sinful?

***Me Genoito!***



The Law Taught Us  
We Were Sinners

Coveting Example



Then Why Do I  
Keep On  
Sinning?

“What a wretched  
man I am. Who  
will rescue me?”

(7:24)

“Who will rescue?”





# “Who will rescue?”

“Thanks be  
to God --  
through  
Jesus Christ  
our Lord!”  
(7:25)



“There is now no condemnation for those who are  
in Christ Jesus because the law of the Spirit of life  
through Christ set me free from the law of sin and  
death.” (8:1-2)

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- Sent by God
- Condemned Sin
- Justice Met

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# Net Net - For Us

Sin is Dead / Old Man

Spirit is Life / Eternal Man

Spirit Not Lesser / Cries *Abba*

Share Sufferings and Glory

# Net Net - For Us



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- God At Work For Our Good
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## A Day is Coming .....



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“We are **more** than conquerors through him who loved us” (8:37)

- God Will Not Abandon Us

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**Nothing** “will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus” (8:39)

A Day is Coming .....

# Points for Home

1. Follow God; Abandon Sin
2. The Saved Still Struggle With Sin
3. Bank on God's Forgiveness
4. God Holds Your Future With Love