

The Ultimate Lifestyle

Romans 8 overview

Introduction:

- #1. A life without _____ 1-4
• *God is not angry with me anymore*

John 3:17 *For God did not send the Son into the world to judge the world, but that the world should be saved through Him.*
18 *He who believes in Him is not judged; he who does not believe has been judged already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God*

John 5:24 *Truly, truly, I say to you, he who hears My word, and believes Him who sent Me, has eternal life, and does not come into judgment but has passed out of death into life.*

- #2. A life without _____ 5-17
• *Sin cannot control my life anymore*

- #3. A life without _____ 18-27
• *Even in my suffering, I have hope*

2 Cor. 4: **16** *Therefore we do not lose heart, but though our outer man is decaying, yet our inner man is being renewed day by day. 17 For momentary, light affliction is producing for us an eternal weight of glory far beyond all comparison, 18 while we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen; for the things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are not seen are eternal.*

2 Cor. 11: **23** *... beaten times without number, often in danger of death. 24 Five times ... thirty-nine lashes. 25 Three times ... beaten with rods, once ... stoned, three times ... shipwrecked ... sleepless nights, often without food, in cold and exposure.*

1st I have confidence in a future _____

2nd I'm confident the Holy Spirit _____ for me

Three kinds of groanings...

[1] - _____ groans, verse 22

[2] - _____ groan, verse 23

[3] - The _____ groans, verse 26

#4. A life without _____ 28-30

• God never makes a mistake in my life

Ephesians 1:11 NIV *in Him we were also chosen, having been predestined according to the plan of him who works out everything in conformity with the purpose of His will.*

Proverbs 21:1 *The king's heart is like channels of water in the hand of the Lord; He turns it wherever He wishes.*

Psalms 76:10 *For the wrath of man shall praise Thee;*

Philippians 1:6 *For I am confident of this very thing, that He who began a good work in you will perfect it until the day of Christ Jesus.*

#5. A life without _____ 31-34

- ***I don't have to fear anyone or anything***

One plus God equals a _____

Hebrews 13:6 *so that we confidently say, "The Lord is my helper, I will not be afraid. What shall man do to me?"*

I am not a v_____ I'm a v_____!

Phil. 4:13 *I can do all things through Him who strengthens me*

#6. A life without _____ 32

- ***God will provide for all of my needs***

Phil. 4:19 *And my God shall supply all your needs according to His riches in glory in Christ Jesus.*

#7. A life without _____ 35-39

- ***Nothing can separate me from God's love***

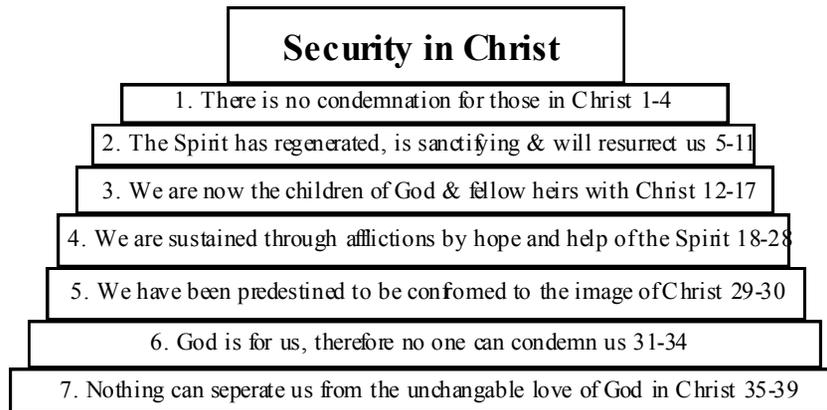
John 10:27 *"My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me; 28 and I give eternal life to them, and they shall never perish; and no one shall snatch them out of My hand. 29 "My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand.*

Matthew 28:20 *Lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.*

Conclusion:

#1. This is _____, so chose to _____ it

#2. This is _____, so seek to _____ in it



#3. This is _____, so evaluate your _____ in it

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- ___ 1. I inflict no condemnation upon myself [1-4]
- ___ 2. I set my mind on the things of the Spirit [5-13]
- ___ 3. I enjoy an intimacy with God as Daddy/Father [14-17]
- ___ 4. I suffer with an understanding of God's purpose [17-25]
- ___ 5. I believe in the Holy Spirit's help as intercessor [26-27]
- ___ 6. I anticipate bad circumstances working for good [28-30]
- ___ 7. I get perspective on my negative feelings [31-39]

#4. This is _____, so rely upon the _____

Next Week: Read Romans 8:1-4

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