### Living Free in a Guilty World! More Than Conquerors, Pt. 1 Romans 8:1-4

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Romans 8:37, No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us.

**Romans 8:1,** Therefore, there is now <u>no condemnation</u> for those who are <u>in Christ Jesus</u>,

Romans 8:38, For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, 39 neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Romans 1:16, For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile.

Romans 1:20, For since the creation of the world God's invisible qualities—his eternal power and divine nature—have been clearly seen, being understood from what has been made, so that people are without excuse.

**Romans 2:4,** Or do you show contempt for the riches of his kindness, forbearance and patience, not realizing that God's kindness is intended to lead you to repentance?

**Romans 3:10,** As it is written: "There is no one righteous, not even one;"

Romans 3:23, for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,

**Romans 4:3,** What does Scripture say? "Abraham believed God, and it was credited to him as righteousness."

**Romans 5:1,** Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ,

**Romans 5:8,** But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Romans 6:4, We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

**Romans 6:23,** For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

**Romans 7:15,** I do not understand what I do. For what I want to do I do not do, but what I hate I do.

Romans 7:24, What a wretched man I am! Who will rescue me from this body that is subject to death? 25 Thanks be to God, who delivers me through Jesus Christ our Lord!

Romans 8:1, Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus, 2 because through Christ Jesus the law of the Spirit who gives life has set you free from the law of sin and death. 3 For what the law was powerless to do because it was weakened by the flesh, God did by sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh to be a sin offering. And so he condemned sin in the flesh, 4 in order that the righteous requirement of the law might be fully met in us, who do not live according to the flesh but according to the Spirit.

#### What You Need to Know to Live Free:

#### 1. Verdict Delivered: No CONDEMNATION

**Romans 8:1,** Therefore, there is now <u>no condemnation</u> for those who are <u>in Christ Jesus</u>,

Romans 10:9, If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. 10 For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved.

**Romans 10:13,** ... "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

**2 Corinthians 5:17,** Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!

**Psalm 103:12,** as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us.

## 2. Freedom Experienced: <u>SET FREE</u>

Romans 8:2, because through Christ Jesus the law of the Spirit who gives life has set you free from the law of sin and death.

**Galatians 5:1,** It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery.

**John 8:36,** So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.

# 3. Penalty Paid: God Sent HIS SON

Romans 8:3, For what the law was powerless to do because it was weakened by the flesh, God did by sending his own

Son in the likeness of sinful flesh to be a sin offering. And so he condemned sin in the flesh,

**Isaiah 53:5,** But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on him, and by his wounds we are healed. **6** We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to our own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all... **10** Yet it was the LORD'S will to crush him and cause him to suffer, and... makes his life an offering for sin,

**Hebrews 10:11,** Day after day every priest stands and performs his religious duties; again and again he offers the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins. **12** But when this priest had offered for all time one sacrifice for sins, he sat down at the right hand of God,

**2 Corinthians 5:21,** God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

# 4. Fresh Start: Live by the **SPIRIT**

**Romans 8:4,** in order that the righteous requirement of the law might be fully met in us, who do not live according to the flesh but according to the Spirit.

Romans 6:1, What shall we say, then? Shall we go on sinning so that grace may increase? 2 By no means! We are those who have died to sin; how can we live in it any longer?