

Announcements

- ✓ CrossLife Service Opportunities
- ✓ CLG Harvest Party (Oct. 26)
- ✓ CrossLife Community Groups
- ✓ Fellowship: Flag Football (Sun., 2pm, Roskie Fields)
- ✓ Fun Run (Oct 13)
- ✓ God and Cancer Event (Oct 15, 7pm)
- ✓ Women of Grace Smoothie Night (Oct 12, 7pm)

Message Outline

The Walking Dead

Ephesians 2:1-3

Intro: We all are (or were) dead men walking!

- I. Dead in Sin** (v.1)
 - a. "dead"
 - b. "in sin and transgression"
 - c. The concept of *Total Depravity*
- II. Walking Like the World** (v.2)
 - a. "walking like..."
 - b. "the world"
 - c. The concept of Satan's rule
- III. Living in Lust** (v.3)
 - a. "living in lust"
 - b. Our deeds are impacted by this
 - c. "by nature children of wrath"

Conclusion: God's in the business of bringing people to life!

Notes

Breakout Discussion Question(s)

How does the concept of "being dead in sin" relate to the hope of the gospel?

Community Group Discussion Questions: *Answer the following questions **before** Community Group:*

1. What do we learn about mankind from the phrase, "dead in sin?"
2. What characterizes "the world?" What does it mean to walk like the world? Why is this a problem?
3. What is lust? How does lust manifest itself? What is the progression of this process according to James 1:15-16?
4. How does understanding this passage influence a believer's understanding of themselves and their new standing in Christ? How is salvation a manifestation of God's power?
5. How does understanding this passage influence our evangelism?

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