

Don't Let Sin Reign!

Romans 6:11-14

I. Remind yourself that you are dead to sin v. 11 a

- A. You died with Christ vv. 3-6
- B. You are no longer in a master/slave relation to sin v. 7

II. Remind yourself you are alive to God v. 11 b

- A. You are a new creation in Christ - II Corinthians 5:17
- B. You have been joined to Christ - I Corinthians 6:17

III. Refuse to let sin use your body v. 12

- A. Sin manifests itself through our bodies
- B. Don't let the sinful disposition reign in your body

IV. Refuse to let your parts be used unrighteously v. 13 a

- A. We used to use our body parts unrighteously v. 19
- B. This means eyes, ears, tongue, hands, feet, brain, sexual organs

V. Present yourself to God as a living sacrifice v. 13b

- A. This is a once and for all commitment
- B. This is similar to the command of Romans 12:1

VI. Present your body parts for righteousness v. 13 c

Conclusion: the basis and reason given in verse 14

- A. - sin shall not have dominion over you
- B. - you are not under law but under grace