

“THE HOLY SPIRIT & YOU” Series

Message #1 of 3

“LIFE AND DEATH”

Christians are brought out of death into life because of what God the Father did through God the Son Jesus Christ, and is applied to us through the power of God the Holy Spirit.

Romans 8:1-4

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I. NOT CONDEMNED vs. CONDEMNED

A. CONDEMNATION ...

- *“There is no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.” – v.1*

B. SET FREE ...

- *“Through Christ Jesus the law of the Spirit of life set me free from the law of sin and death.” – v.2*

II. POWER vs. POWERLESS

A. POWERLESS LAW ...

- *“The law was powerless to do (what needed to happen in your life because) it was weakened by the sinful nature.” – v.3a*

B. GOD’S POWER ...

- *“God did by sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful people to be a sin offering.” – v.3b*

II. SINFUL LIFE vs. SPIRIT LIFE

A. SIN CONDEMNED ...

- *“And so God condemned sin in sinful people.” - v.3c*

B. WE LIVE ...

- *“We do not live according to the sinful nature but according to the Spirit.” – v.4*

“An inward impression on the soul, whereby the Spirit of God directly witnesses to my spirit, that I am a child of God; that Jesus loved me, and given himself for me ... all my sins blotted out, and I am reconciled to God.” – John Wesley