

## New Life in Christ

Romans 8:1-4

A major lesson of ch.7 was that even the \_\_\_\_\_ of Christians still \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_. But the lesson of ch.8 is that even the \_\_\_\_\_ of true saints are \_\_\_\_\_ from sin's \_\_\_\_\_.

I. A New \_\_\_\_\_ - v.1

Condemnation is God's \_\_\_\_\_ verdict and the \_\_\_\_\_ penalty that goes with it. But justification speaks of being \_\_\_\_\_.

Two great themes of Romans 8 are \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. But \_\_\_\_\_ seems primary.

If the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of the \_\_\_\_\_ declares us innocent then no one can say we are \_\_\_\_\_.

II. A New \_\_\_\_\_ - v.2

\_\_\_\_\_ law outranks \_\_\_\_\_ law. God's \_\_\_\_\_ command (law) for Christians to \_\_\_\_\_ eternally by faith in Christ \_\_\_\_\_ and overturns His \_\_\_\_\_ command (law) of death.

III. A New \_\_\_\_\_ - v.3-4

v.3 - God is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ story. You do not make \_\_\_\_\_ a \_\_\_\_\_! Only God makes \_\_\_\_\_, both now and in eternity. But how?

1) God Sent His \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Us - v.3  
Christ had to \_\_\_\_\_ as a sin \_\_\_\_\_, because His \_\_\_\_\_ life by itself would not pay what the \_\_\_\_\_ demanded. - Isaiah 53:3-6

2) God Sent His \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Us - v.4

Verse 3 speaks of Jesus' sinless life and \_\_\_\_\_ death fulfilling the Law's demands \_\_\_\_\_ us. But v. 4 speaks of the \_\_\_\_\_ fulfilling the righteousness of the Law \_\_\_\_\_ us. Both our \_\_\_\_\_ and our \_\_\_\_\_ are dear to God! - Ephesians 1:4

v.4 - The Law does not become the believer's \_\_\_\_\_; rather, \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ is!

Even as a Christian you will \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ every day for the rest of this life. But equally true is that being \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ is not normal because the Holy Spirit \_\_\_\_\_ against \_\_\_\_\_ in us.