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## Lesson 9

### Christ Our Life

According to Galatians 2:20 when Christ was crucified what happened to us?

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This is speaking of our "old man" or our sin nature. If that old man has died, then who is still living?

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How are we to live our life now? By \_\_\_\_\_ in Christ.

Read Colossians 3:3-4. We are \_\_\_\_\_ and our life is

\_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ in God.

Who is our life? \_\_\_\_\_. When we become a Christian, we don't just add it to our life, He becomes our whole life.

Read Romans chapter 6. Who was crucified in verse 6?

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Why was it crucified?

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According to verse 7 when we are dead what are we free from? \_\_\_\_\_  
To illustrate this, think of how a dead man would respond to any kind of temptation.

Verse 8 says that if we have died with Christ, we will also \_\_\_\_\_  
with Him.

According to verse 11 we are to consider ourselves \_\_\_\_\_ to sin but

\_\_\_\_\_ to God in Christ.

Read Romans 7:14-25. According to verse 18 is there anything good in our flesh?

Yes     No

Romans 7 is about our struggle between our flesh and our desire to do what is right. In

verse 19 Paul is saying that the good that he wants to do he ends up

\_\_\_\_\_ and the evil that he doesn't want to do is

what he \_\_\_\_\_.

Paul is expressing his frustration with this dilemma in verse 24, who does He thank in verse 25 for the answer?

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Jesus said it this way in Mark 10:27. With man it is \_\_\_\_\_ but with God \_\_\_\_\_ things are \_\_\_\_\_.

According to Romans 8:2 what is it that will set us free from the law of sin and death?

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To be set free from the law of sin and death how must we walk (Romans 8:4)?

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Romans 8:5-7 speaks of the importance of our minds.

We need to be \_\_\_\_\_ minded not \_\_\_\_\_ minded.

Colossians 3:2 says we should set our minds or affections on what?

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According to Philippians 4:13 how can we do all things?

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The Amplified version says it this way, "I have strength for all things in Christ who empowers me [I am ready for anything and equal to anything through Him who infuses inner strength into me; I am self-sufficient in Christ's sufficiency]." The word "infuses" can be pictured by brewing tea. The water is infused with the tea and the water changes to tea. We are infused with Christ. It is His strength and power that causes us to be victorious.

Read John 15:4-5. Jesus gives another picture of this truth. He said that He is the

\_\_\_\_\_ and that we are the \_\_\_\_\_.

How can we bear fruit?

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What can we do without Christ? \_\_\_\_\_

According to John 6:63 who is it that gives life? \_\_\_\_\_

What is it that profits nothing? \_\_\_\_\_

John the Baptist in John 3:30 said that Jesus must \_\_\_\_\_ and that he (John) must \_\_\_\_\_.

Kathryn Kuhlman, a healing evangelist, said "It's not some of me and some of Thee, but it's none of me and all of Thee."

We need to humble ourselves before God and realize that in our own strength we can't live the Christian life. According to James 4:6 what does God do for the humble?

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What does He do to the proud?

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Jesus is our example and while He was on earth Jesus wasn't working on His own. Read John 5:19 and John 14:10. Who is it that led Jesus in what He did and said?

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If Jesus didn't try to live and minister on His own, then we shouldn't either.

1 Corinthians 6:17 says that he that is \_\_\_\_\_ unto the \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ spirit.

Jesus is speaking to Paul in the first part of 2 Corinthians 12:9. What does Jesus say about His grace?

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Another word for "grace" is enablement. The amount of His enablement given to us is exactly what we need.

What does Jesus say in 2 Corinthians 12:9 about our weakness?

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Paul's response in the last part of 2 Corinthians 12:9 is that he would not boast in his giftings or strengths but that he would boast in his \_\_\_\_\_.

Why does he respond like that?

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In lesson 5 we acknowledged that we all have weakness that we need to overcome which could be likened to a battle. We also face challenges in life not related to our weakness which could also be likened to a battle. In 2 Chronicles 20 we read of a battle that King Jehoshaphat was facing. Several armies gathered together against them and in verses 5-13 Jehoshaphat lead a prayer meeting calling out to God which was their only hope. In verse 14 we read that the Spirit of God came upon a prophet and gave Jehoshaphat a message.

In verse 15 God first tells them to not be \_\_\_\_\_.

He then tells him that the battle is not \_\_\_\_\_ but \_\_\_\_\_.

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In verse 17 who does God say will fight the battle?

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We need to not make the mistake of fighting our own battles. The battle with sin and evil was fought and won by Jesus on the cross that is why in John 19:30 He cries out a statement. What did He say?

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According to Romans 8:37 what are we?

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How is this possible (through whom)?

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What happens when we are in Christ according to 2 Corinthians 2:14?

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Read 1 John 4:4. Why do we overcome?

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To finish this lesson read Colossians 3:4 again. Christ is our LIFE. Through Him we can do all things. We are not to fight our own battles but allow Him to fight them for us. Stop the struggle and allow His strength to become yours.

Recommended Reading:

The Normal Christian Life  
By Watchman Nee  
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