

Romans 7: 14-25

Messages Notes: 8/16/09

A. Context –

1. Romans 7: 1-13
 - a. 1-4 ~ die to sins – joined to Christ
 - b. v. 6 ~ released from sins
 - c. v. 9 ~ alive apart from law (child) – Sins: sin alive
 - d. v. 13 ~ lead off: sin would become utterly sinful

2. Romans 6 & 8
 - a. 7:14 – 6:6 ~ “bondage to sin” / “bound” – Law
 - b. 7:23 – 8:2 ~ prisoner of law of sin / set free from body of death...
 - c. 7:14 & 23 – 6: 17 & 18 ~ slaves of sin/ freed from sin
 - Now can one be a slave of sin and freed from sin at the same time?

3. Romans 7: 17 – “sin dwells in me” Galatians 2:20
 - a. (devil made me do it)
 - b. “Take away sins”
 1. O.T. ~ Hebrews 10:4, 11 – “impossible/ never”
 2. N.T. ~ Jesus
 - a. I John 3:5 ~ reason why Jesus came
 - b. John 1:29 ~ Lamb – take away sins
 - c. Romans 11:27 ~ Is prophecy. “take away”
 - d. Ps. 103:12 “Removed our transgressions”
 3. Others (N.T)
 - a. Revelations 1:5 ~ “released us”
 - b. Acts 22:16 ~ “wash away”
 - c. Romans 6:6 ~ “body of sin done away” – no longer slaves to sin.

B. Conclusion

1. Romans 7:24 ~ state of person – convicted before baptism
2. John 8:31-36 ~ “free indeed”
3. Are you miserable or full of joy and relief?
4. Are your sins merely forgiven or completely removed?