May 29, 2022 The Bridge Bible Fellowship Joe Leinen Romans 6:1-14

Dead to Sin & Alive to God

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4. The	(v.12-14)

Romans 6:1-14 (ESV)

"1 What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin that grace may abound? 2 By no means! How can we who died to sin still live in it? 3 Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? 4 We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life.

5 For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. 6 We know that our old self was crucified with him in order that the body of sin might be brought to nothing, so that we would no longer be enslaved to sin. 7 For one who has died has been set free from sin. 8 Now if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. 9 We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. 10 For the death he died he died to sin, once for all, but the life he lives he lives to God. 11 So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

12 Let not sin therefore reign in your mortal body, to make you obey its passions. 13 Do not present your members to sin as instruments for unrighteousness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and your members to God as instruments for righteousness. 14 For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace."

Discussion Questions:

- 1. What stands out to you the most from this entire passage? What is still hard to understand, or what questions do you have?
- 2. Why does Paul ask the famous question in 6:1? (Hint: look at ch.5)
- 3. Summarize Paul's statements in verses 2-4.
- 4. What does Baptism represent, according to this passage?
- 5. What kind of 'resurrection' is Paul describing in 6:5?
- 6. What does it mean that our 'old self' was 'crucified'? (v.6)
- 7. Why does it matter that Christ 'will never die again'? (v.9)
- 8. Why does it matter that Christ died 'once for all'? (v.10)
- 9. What does Paul want us to believe according to verse 11?
- 10. What application does Paul draw out in verses 12-14? How can you specifically apply these verses to your life this week?