

“Believers Present Battle With Sin”

Part 1

Romans 7:14-25

Intro: Doctrine of sanctification

1 Thess. 4:1-3

Romans 8:29-30

Chapter 6:1-23

- New life in Christ
- Died to sin—alive to God
- Free from sins slavery
- Became slaves of righteousness

Romans 6:12-14, 19-22

Chapter 7:1-6

- New relationship with the law
- Dead to its condemnation
- Free to live it

Chapter 7:7-13

- Begins personal testimony
- Pre salvation—past tense verbs
- The law of God—
reveals sin—arouses sin—
ruins the sinner
reflects the sinfulness of sin

Chapter 7:14-25

- Personal testimony right now
present tense verbs
 - My present battle with sin
- Gal. 2:20; 5:13-26
Romans 6:6; 8:5-13; 13:14
Eph. 2:3, 4:17-24
Col. 2:11
1 Peter 2:11

Four Battle Cries

1st Battle cry vs. 14-17

a) The condition of his battle cry vs. 14

Romans 7:4-6, 13, 18, 23-24

Matt. 22:37-40

Heb. 4:12

1 Cor. 3:1-3

b) The confirmation of its reality vs. 15

Psalm 119:1-6, 32, 40, 104, 163

John 15:15

Gal. 5:17

Ecclesiastes 7:20

Phil. 3:12-14

Proverbs 8:13

c) The core of the problem vs. 16-17

1 John 1:6-10

Romans 7:20-22

Psalm 119:127-128

Gal. 2:20

John 8:42-47

Mark 8:34-37

2nd Battle cry vs. 18-20

a) The condition vs. 18a

Genesis 6:5; 8:21

John 3:6

b) The confirmation vs. 18b-19

Gal. 5:19-24

c) The core vs. 20

Romans 7:16-17

Psalm 51:1-12

3rd Battle cry vs. 21-23

4th Battle cry vs. 24-25

1 Cor. 9:24-27

