

Triumphant Living

Lesson Five • Romans 8:12-13

Licensed to Kill

As One Who Is In Christ, You Are...

Licensed to KILL sin.

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Licensed to Kill Sin:

1. Understand the MINDSET of Mortifying Sin!

Remember Your Obligation:

You OWE nothing to the flesh, but everything to the Lord.

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A Matter of Life or Death:

Kill your SIN or it will kill YOU.

For if you live according to the flesh you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. Romans 8:13

“Be killing sin or it will be killing you.” ~John Owen

2. Utilize the MEANS of Mortifying Sin!

What Is the Means of Killing Sin?

To kill sin, put it to death by the SPIRIT and you will live.

but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. Romans 8:13b

*7 Ways to Kill Sin:

- 1) Yield yourself to GOD. *Romans 6:12-13 Mark 8:38*
- 2) Accept that the battle never ENDS. *Romans 8:13 1Peter 2:11*
- 3) Make no provision for the FLESH. *Romans 13:14*
- 4) Use your spiritual SWORD, God’s Word. *Ephesians 6:17 Psalm 119:9-11*
- 5) Aim at the HEART. *Luke 6:45 Matthew 23:25-26*
- 6) Stay in COMMUNITY. *Ecclesiastes 4:9-10 Hebrews 3:12-13*
- 7) Depend on the SPIRIT. *Romans 8:13 Galatians 5:16*

Look to the Cross of Christ:

The only sins we can kill are the sins that have been FORGIVEN through the shed blood of Jesus.

“There is no death of sin without the death of Christ.” ~John Owen