

Triumphant Living

Lesson Two • Romans 8:1-4

New Life in Christ

Two Approaches to Life-Change:

LAW or GRACE

How God Transforms Us:

1. God Sets Us FREE to Live a Changed Life in Christ!

*There is therefore now no condemnation to those who are in Christ Jesus.
For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has made me free from the law of sin and death.
Romans 8:1-2*

The Most Important Thing About You:

Is whether or not you are set free "IN CHRIST".

2. God Sent His SON to Bring About Life-Change for Us!

*For what the law could not do in that it was weak through the flesh, God did by sending His
own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh, on account of sin: He condemned sin in the flesh,
Romans 8:3*

What the Law Could Not Do, God Did:

- Life-change does not come through the LAW of God.

- Life-change comes through the GRACE of God.

What Does This Mean?

Trust JESUS, not law-keeping if you want new life in Christ.

3. God Gives His SPiRiT to Empower Life-Change in Us!

*that the righteous requirement of the law might be fulfilled in us
who do not walk according to the flesh but according to the Spirit. Romans 8:4
But you are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God dwells in you.
Romans 8:9*

The Result of Justification:

We have been set free to WALK according to the Spirit,
not according to the flesh.

Is Romans 8:2 True for You?

"For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has made ME free
from the law of sin and death"?