GRWTHGROUP

Study Guide

Romans 7:1-6 – Dying to Live

My Story

1. What are 2 things you learned about marriage from your parents?

- **Digging Deeper**
 - "Law" is mentioned in every verse of Rom. 7:1-6. Read the following passages and summarize how the Bible views God's Law. (Read: Psa. 19:7-11; 119:18, 97, 136, 165; Matt. 5:17-18; Rom. 3:19-21, 31; 7:12).

4. Paul says that we were "made to die to the Law" (v.4) and we have now "been released from the Law" (v.6). What implication does this have for Christian living?

Reflection

5. In what ways can today's Christian churches still tend toward legalism? What can we do to rise above this?

 We all bear fruit in our lives, either fruit for God (v.4) or for death (v.5). What does it look like to bear fruit for God? Read John 15:1-11. What does your belonging to Jesus have to do with bearing fruit for God? 6. In what area of your life would you like to bear more fruit for God? What can you do this week to begin cultivating that area of your life?

SERMON NOTES

Taking the Next Step

Take a moment to pray this week, thanking God that, through faith in Christ, you have died to what used to control you (sin). Ask for His strength and help to bear fruit for Him in your daily life.

Praises / Prayer Requests

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