# Romans 6: Paul's Treatise on Baptism

Spiritually Dead



#### **Before**

Dead in trespasses and sins: Eph. 2:1 Old man/body of sin: v. 6 Sin reigns: v. 12

Instruments of unrighteousness: v. 13 Sin has dominion: v. 14

> Slaves of sin: vv. 6, 16, 17, 20 Slaves of uncleanness: v. 19

Free in regard to righteousness:  $\sqrt{20}$ Produced shameful fruit: v. 21

Wage is death: vv. 21, 23

If one can be saved before or without baptism; they be saved while spiritually dead and not yet free of sin. Who can believe that?! Eph. 2:1; Rom. 6:6-7



"buried with Him through baptism into death..." Rom. 6:4; Col. 2:12

"... salvation which is in Christ Jesus..." 2 Timothy 2:10





many of us as were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death? "

> Rom. 6:3; cf. 1 Cor. 6:11 Titus 3:5; Matt. 26:28

## **Baptism**

Baptized into Christ: v. 3 Put on Christ: Gal. 3:27 Baptized into His death: v. 3 **Buried with Him: v. 4; Col. 2:12** Old man crucified with Him: v. 6 Body of sin done away: v. 6 Died, freed from sin: v. 7; Acts 22:16 Shows faith in working of God: Col. 2:12

## United with



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"united in the likeness of His death" Romans 6:5

> "we died with Christ" Romans 6:8

"baptism doth also now save us" 1 Pet. 3:21; cf. Mk. 16:16; Acts 22:16

## Spiritually Alive



#### **After**

Dead to sin: v. 2 Raised to walk in newness of life: v. 4

In the likeness of His resurrection: v. 5

No longer slaves of sin: v. 6 Freed from sin: v. 7

Dead indeed to sin: v. 11

Alive to God in Christ: v. 8, 11

Sin no longer reigns: v. 12

Alive from the dead to God: v. 13

Instruments of righteousness: v. 13

Sin no longer dominates: v. 14

Under grace: v. 14

Obey doctrine from heart: v. 17

Set free from sin: vv. 18, 22

Slaves of righteousness: vv. 18, 19

Slaves of God: v. 22 Fruit to holiness: v. 22

Eternal life in Christ: v. 23



Cf. 2 Corinthians 5:17; John 3:5

"raised...[to]...walk in newness of life..." Rom. 6:4; Eph. 4:22-24