<u>Series</u>: One Confused Parent <u>Title</u>: Living Free In Christ <u>Text</u>: (Rom 6:12-16)

Break It down: (Rom 6)

"God wants to do a work in you 1st, before He can do a work through you!" (Gal 2:20)

You were separated from the effects of sin: (Rom 6:1-7) Don't be used by the world for sinful things:(Rom 6:8-13) Know to whom you are yielding to: (Rom 6:14-16) Be servants of righteousness: (Rom 6:17-18) Yield to serve to righteousness unto holiness: (Rom 6:19) Be free from sin, and servants to God: (Rom 6:20-22)

**God wants to do a work in us:** (Phil 2:13)(1 Cor 12: 6-11) (Heb 13:20-21)*working in you that which is wellpleasing* **God wants to work through us:** Gal 2:20 **God Wants us to be Filled with the Spirit:** (Eph 5:18) (2 Cor 1:22)(2 Cor 5:5)

**They treated each other differently:** (Acts 4:31-37) **The Reason for us to be filled with the Spirit:** (Eph 1:10-14)

We lose our freedom to choose when we give in to temptation. (Ecc 11:9-10)

#### **Consequences are INEVITABLE!**

(Gal 6:7-9, Ecc 11:9-10) (Prov 5:22; Prov 20:17; Prov 9:17-18)

#### **Consequences are INCALCULABLE!**

Rom 6:21 What fruit has it born in the past? Rom 6:16 we are slaves to the choices we make! (2 Chron 24:1-2) King Joash (2 Chron 25:1-2) King Amaziah (2 Chron 26:5,16) King Uzziah - (Fake Christian) (2 Chron 27:2) King Jotham (2 Chron 28:1-3) King Ahaz

**Incalcuable: You Cannot See the End Result!** (Gal 6:7-8) Rom 6:16 We are the Slaves to whom we yield ourselves to! Rom 6:12 We LOSE our freedom when we yield to Sin!

<u>Consequences are UP TO GOD</u>: (Matt 16:25 1 Cor 5:5) <u>Decide</u> - (Free to Choose, never free from our choices. (Ecc 11:9-10)

Decide, I WANT A NEW KING! – JESUS! (Rom 6:13b)

# **Determine I WANT DIFFERENT FRUIT!**

What Consequences you want! – (Rom 6:13-14, 17-18) (Rom 6:21-22) *"What Fruit did you get from choosing sin?"* Do You like the effects of it now?

# **DETERMINE YOU WANT DIFFERENT FRUIT!!!!!**

# **Detour** – Purpose to Sow to the SPIRIT

- **1.** Get Saved: (Rom 6:22)
- 2. Now we can choose who we will submit to: (Rom 6:19)
- **3.** Ask God to Enable you. "GRACE" (Heb 4:16)
- 4. Purpose to Sow to the SPIRIT (Gal 6:8b-9) (Gal 6:9) Sowing and Reaping work both ways!

Live According to Bible Principle: (Eph 5:14-17) STOP WAITING ON SOMEONE Else to fix it for you.

# **Set Priorities by Spiritual Importance** – *The Big Rocks 1st*

Cast out of your life sources of Temptation (Rom 13:14)

<u>**Pick new friends:**</u> Old friends as ministry opportunities. Make someone an accountability partner in your life.

### Then SOW, SOW, SOW In FAITH: Gal 6:9-10

Sin is a Reality that we have to contend with until we Get to Heaven.

#### **The Exchanged Life:**

Paul's Growth began in (Rom 7) & matured into (Gal 2:20) The Great Exchange Takes Place! (Col 3:3-4) The Old Man died! (Rom 6:6-8) We must choose to walk dependant upon him! (Eph 4:21-24)

Where are you today, What Stage? God is trying to love you to the next level of Growth. Are you willing to be Broken? Are you Willing to Abandon Self, and embrace Jesus? From Rom 7: to Gal 2:20