

"The Pursuit of Holiness"

Lesson #5 "A Change of Kingdoms"

□ Read Chapter Five and answer the following questions.

Romans 6:6-7 *knowing this, that our old man was crucified with Him, that the body of sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves of sin. 7 For he who has died has been freed from sin.*

- 1) Though many Christians do not live in gross sin, they still have settled for what?

- 2) What do we usually fail to do in our pursuit of Holiness?

- 3) What does Satan try to do to confuse us in our understanding of holiness?

- 4) In **Romans 6:12**, what is our responsibility?

- 5) The experience of holiness is not a _____ we _____ like justification but something which we are clearly _____ to _____ at.

- 6) How can we come to understand and obey **Romans 6:12**?

- 7) Our dying to sin is a result of what?

- 8) If we are united to Christ, "then our _____ to sin is a _____ whether we _____ it or not."

9) What determines our daily experience with regards to sin?

10) Before our salvation in Christ, what kingdom did we belong to? Support with Scripture.

11) What does our “Union with Christ” have to do with our attachment to Satan’s kingdom?

12) Regardless of how _____ and _____ we were, we _____ in the _____ of sin.

13) What has our union with Christ delivered us from?

14) Why did we sin and have sinful habits and desires before we were saved?

Thought: Because of our new life in Christ, we need to discipline (train) our lives toward holiness.

15) “We still live in a world populated by _____ of sin. The conventional _____ around us _____ this slavery, and the world tries to _____ us to its own _____ mold.”

16) Why do we sin as Christians?

17) What do the “*Potential*” and “*Responsibility*” for resisting mean?