

# Life in the Spirit! Pt 1: No More Condemnation!

## Romans 8:1

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"O wretched man that I am! Who will deliver me from this body of death?" (Romans 7:24; NKJ)

**"Therefore there is now no condemnation at all for those who are in Christ Jesus." (Romans 8:1; NASB)**

## I. The Key to unlocking Romans 8 = "\_\_\_\_\_"

"... in Christ Jesus."

"For you died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is our life appears, then you also will appear with Him in glory." (Colossians 3:3-4; NKJ)

"For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ." (Galatians 3:26-27; NKJ)

## II. What does "no condemnation" mean for you?

### A. No Condemnation! God will never \_\_\_\_\_ you or send you \_\_\_\_\_!

- Before Christ – \_\_\_\_\_ condemned.

"For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved. He who believes in Him is not condemned; but he who does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God." (John 3:17-18; NKJ)

- In Christ – \_\_\_\_\_ Condemnation!

"All that the Father gives Me will come to Me, and the one who comes to Me I will by no means cast out." (John 6:37; NKJ)

### B. No Condemnation! God is not \_\_\_\_\_ with you!

"As a father has compassion on his children, so the Lord has compassion on those who fear him. For he knows what we are made of, remembering that we are dust." (Ps 103:13-14; NKJ)

- Condemnation – Put you \_\_\_\_\_ for your \_\_\_\_\_.
- Conviction – Pull you \_\_\_\_\_ for your \_\_\_\_\_.

"Now I rejoice, not that you were made sorry, but that your sorrow led to repentance. For you were made sorry in a godly manner, that you might suffer loss from us in nothing. For godly sorrow produces repentance leading to salvation, not to be regretted; but the sorrow of the world produces death." (2 Corinthians 7:9-11; NKJ)

### C. No Condemnation! God is not \_\_\_\_\_ you for your past!

"But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was crushed for our wickedness [our sin, our injustice, our wrongdoing]; The punishment [required] for our well-being fell on Him, And by His stripes (wounds) we are healed." (Isaiah 53:5; AMP)

"There is no fear in love; instead, perfect love drives out fear, because fear involves punishment. So the one who fears is not complete in love. We love because he first loved us." (1 John 4:18-19; CSB)

"Little children, let us not love in word or speech, but in action and in truth. This is how we will know that we belong to the truth and will reassure our hearts before him whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows all things. Dear friends, if our hearts don't condemn us, we have confidence before God and receive whatever we ask from him because we keep his commands and do what is pleasing in his sight." (1 John 3:18-22; NKJ)

### D. No Condemnation! God will \_\_\_\_\_ you with \_\_\_\_\_ in heaven!

"Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling, and to present you faultless before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy, to God our Savior, Who alone is wise, be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and forever. Amen." (Jude 1:24-25; NKV)