

STRUGGLING WITH SIN

Romans 7:7-25

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BIG IDEA: When a believer is saved there begins a battle between the inner person and indwelling sin.

DOOMED BY THE LAW (Romans 7:7-13)

God's law benefits us by exposing and provoking our sinful nature. (7:7-8)

Our sinful nature uses the law as an opportunity to deceive us into sin and death. (7:9-11)

Regardless of human abuse, God's divine law remains good. (7:12)

The blame for our death falls not on the law, but on our sinful nature. (7:13)

UNDERSTANDING THE WAR WITHIN (Romans 7:14-25)

The conflict confessed. (7:14, 7:18a)

The conflict described. (7:15, 7:18b-19)

The culprits defined. (7:16-17, 7:20)

The combatants identified. (7:21-25)

- Two egos
- Two laws
- Two cries
- Two slaveries