

Sermon Application Sheet

October 21, 2018

Sermon Outline

I. An Important Question

- A. Objections Raised
- B. Answer Given

II. United to Christ

- A. Into His Death
- B. Into His Life

III. Result of Union with Christ

- A. No More Old Self
- B. No More Dominion of Sin

Romans 6:1-7 (ESV)

¹ What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin that grace may abound? ² By no means! How can we who died to sin still live in it? ³ Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? ⁴ We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life. ⁵ For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. ⁶ We know that our old self was crucified with him in order that the body of sin might be brought to nothing, so that we would no longer be enslaved to sin. ⁷ For one who has died has been set free from sin.

Application Questions

1. Why might you be tempted to ask the question in verse 1? What truth keeps you from falling into that trap?

2. Does this passage tell us something about baptism that we might otherwise miss? Why would that be important?

3. What is the practical effect for you to know that the old self is crucified? That you are no longer enslaved to sin?