

## Death, Life, A Reckoning and A Yielding

Rom.6:1-14

- I. A death V.2,3,5a,6,8a,11a
  - a. A special gift
    - i. The gift is death
  - b. Given by & because of Jesus
    - i. The relationship with death is ended V.9-10a
    - ii. He was NOT a sinner, but... II Cor.5:21
    - iii. We share in this victory
      - 1. No condemnation Rom.8:1
      - 2. Free from slavery V6b
- II. A life V.4b,5b,8b.11b, II Cor.5:17
  - a. We are also gifted a new life
    - i. We share in Christ's resurrection and life Gal.2:17-21
  - b. The new life has a purpose
    - i. To live for God V.4,10
  - c. Our new life is Christ Col.3:1-4
- III. A reckoning V.11
  - a. This is our part
    - i. The victory is ours
    - ii. It is up to us to claim it
  - b. Reckon – to do the math V.14
    - i. React to the result of the math
- IV. Yielding ensures victory V.13
  - a. Present yourself = yielding
    - i. By changing your thinking (reckon) Rom.12:1-2
    - ii. Don't drown in shallow water!