## The Book of Romans

This Week:

Lesson: Romans Chapter 6

**Next Week:** 

**Homework Scripture Read:** Romans Chapter 7

## **Lesson Text:**

**Romans 6:1-3** Ref. 5:20-21, We have died to sin

Romans 6:3-7 Being dead to sin Alive to Christ

Romans 6:12-18 Warfare of two masters

**Romans 6:19-23** Transitioning from Sin-master to Righteousness-master

## **Discussion:**

- **Discuss** the implications of being "dead to sin."
- Jump ahead and consider Romans 12:1-2 in regard to being dead to sin.
- **Note** that the established victory for Christians does not infer that sinful influence has ended the struggle is never-ending throughout our lifetime.
- **Discuss** Romans 6:14 in terms of the fact that we do not struggle against sin on our own, but in the power of God's hands.

## **Open Questions:**

- 1. What degree of commitment is Paul asking for?
- 2. Does this passage of scripture apply to the modern church?
- 3. To what degree should Christians allow this passage to influence their plans for life and their daily activities?