

Scripture: Romans 6:1-14

OPEN:

1. When the time comes, how do you prefer to die: By accident? Of natural causes? A martyr's death? By your own hand? Why?

DIG:

1. From 3:8 and 6:1, how are some people misusing Paul's emphasis on God's grace (5:20-21)?
2. How would you paraphrase Paul's brief answer in vs 2? The idea of death is mentioned 15 times in this passage. How does Christ's death and resurrection tie into our relationship with sin?
3. What actions does Paul call us to perform in vv 11-13? How do these relate to his general statement in vs 3?
4. How does the general statement in vs 3 lend importance to baptism?

REFLECT:

1. How have you experienced Christ's death and resurrection in your life?
2. If you could dig a grave and put one thing in it to be buried with Christ forever what would that be?