

## December 6 Questions

- 1) Paul now explained the results of justification: \_\_\_\_\_ and reconciliation with God. Our responsibility is to \_\_\_\_\_ the love God has given us by obeying His commands and \_\_\_\_\_ to the desires of the Spirit. Paul continued by addressing the question of whether \_\_\_\_\_ man could bring life to so many. Indeed, Jesus could, for just as Adam's \_\_\_\_\_ brought condemnation and death to all men, so Jesus' \_\_\_\_\_ brought justification and life to all men (Rom 5:18). Paul next addressed the accusation that by emphasizing grace, he was encouraging a lifestyle of \_\_\_\_\_. "By no means! How can we who \_\_\_\_\_ to sin still live in it?" (Rom 6:1-2). This means we have both the \_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_ to live above sin. Paul went on to say, "My brothers, you also have died to the \_\_\_\_\_ through the body of Christ" (Rom 7:4). Paul explained that the law, which was "holy and righteous and good," could not, in itself, \_\_\_\_\_ the sinner; it could only expose their sinful heart and \_\_\_\_\_ them to more sin. In Christ there is no \_\_\_\_\_, for what the law could not do, the \_\_\_\_\_ could. This means that we are free to walk, not after the \_\_\_\_\_, but after the Holy Spirit. We know that God is working all things together for our good, that we might be \_\_\_\_\_ to the image of Jesus Christ.