21.03.07 God is Greater than Sin Notes

God has defeated the  , because God is greater than sin!

What does it mean for you, as a follower of Jesus, that God is greater than sin? Colossians 2:9 – 17

1. **You are in .** Colossians 2:9 – 10

Jesus is  in .

Therefore, Jesus is fully adequate to   to you.

1. **You are in .** verses 10 – 12

In Christ you are  from the  and linked forever to the risen Jesus.

You are crucified with Christ and raised to   in Him.

Going back to the law (rules, regulations, and performance) for  is to fall from grace.

  is defined by putting off of one’s sinful nature. Romans 2:29

This is a spiritual new birth through . The Spirit of God identified us with Jesus, and we were buried with Him, raised with Him, and made alive with Him!

We are alive in Christ because Jesus has  our sins. Verse 13

How? Jesus has   , cancelled our bill; erased the charges against us. Verse 14

In His death and resurrection Jesus has  the principalities and powers of darkness and sin. Verse 15

1. **We are to for Jesus.**

Verses 16 – 17

We are   .

So we now walk by faith in  with the risen Christ.

CONCLUSION: True Christian freedom – complete in Christ, alive in Christ, free in Christ, true Christian freedom is Christ-like freedom!