

<sup>\*</sup> Cf. Rom 7:6: now, by dying to what once bound us, we have been released from the law...

\*\* Cf. Rom 3:20: ..., rather, through the law we become conscious of sin.

\*\*\* Cf. Rom 6:16: ..., you are slaves to the one whom you obey—whether you are slaves to sin, which leads to death, or to obedience, which leads to righteousness.





Oh!

\* Cf. Col 2:20-23: If with Christ you died to the elemental spirits of the universe, why do you live as if you still belonged to the world? Why do you submit to regulations, "Do not handle, Do not taste, Do not touch" (referring to things which all perish as they are used), according to human precepts and doctrines? These have indeed an appearance of wisdom in promoting rigor of devotion and self-abasement and severity to the body, but they are of no value in checking the indulgence of the flesh.

You have been raised with Christ

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