

The Just Shall Live by Faith "Oh, How I Love Thy Law!" Romans 7:7-13

The LAW was given by God to show the lost man his desperate need for a Savior!

The LAW was given by God to show the saved man the will of God, and the ways of God.

For the Christian, absolute freedom is living in the center of God's perfect will - His LAW!

Seven things the law does for us:

- The law reveals the fact of sin vs 7
- The law reveals the opportunity of sin vs 8
- The law reveals the condemnation of sin vs 9-10
- The law reveals the deceitfulness of sin vs 11
- The law reveals the righteousness of God vs 12
- The law reveals the final results of sin vs 13

Sanctification is that process God uses to conform us into the "saint" He has already declared us to be!

• The tool God uses in that process is the law.

- If a believer avoids the law he is never faced with the depth of his own depravity.
- If a believer thinks he is a just a "little sinner," then he thinks he only needs a "little Savior," and he diminishes the value of the death of Jesus Christ.