

A Merged Life

Galatians 2:20

What is different about these two signs?



Romans 5:8-10 (ESV)

(8) ...God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. (9) Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God. (10) For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life.

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The Key to living as a Christian is an MERGED Life.



The PERSONS of a Merged Life.

- **One Person is dead – ME.**
- **Only One Person is alive – CHRIST JESUS.**



The **PROMISE** of a Merged Life. *Colossians 3:3-11*



The **PRESCRIPTION** for a Merged Life.

- A. **KNOW** – Understand who Christ is and who you are in Him.
- B. **ABIDE** – Rest in the truth of who Christ is and who you are in Him. He is your life. *John 15:4-5*
- C. **RECKON** – Live based upon the EXACT truth as applied to your life. *Romans 6:8-11*



The **POWER** and **PRAYER** of a Merged Life. *John 15:6-8*



The **PROBLEM** of **Parallel Living**. *Romans 7:18-25, John 6:32-69*

A MERGED LIFE PRAYER

Dear Lord,

I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. I deny myself, I am crucified with you, I am Yours Lord. Live Your Life through me.

In Jesus name, Amen.



The **PENALTY** of an Un-Merged Life. *John 15:6*

John 15:6 **If anyone does not abide in me he is thrown away like a branch and withers; and the branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned.**