



LIVING

THE CROSS SHAPED

LIFE

**Position & Practice:
Died with Christ
Raised with Christ**

Colossians 3:1-4

Died with Christ; Raised with Christ

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1. Therefore if you have been raised up with Christ, keep seeking the things above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.
2. Set your mind on the things above, not on the things that are on earth.
3. For you have died and your life is hidden with Christ in God.
4. When Christ, who is our life, is revealed, then you also will be revealed with Him in glory.

Died with Christ

- Crucified
- Baptized
- Hidden with Christ

Died with Christ

- Crucified
 - The Cross Indicts Me

Romans 3:19-23 New American Standard Bible

19 Now we know that whatever the Law says, it speaks to those who are under the Law, so that every mouth may be closed and all the world may become
and will

DEBITS

Pride
Anger
Tongues

Romans 6:23

23 For the wages of sin is death,

Greed
Covetousness
Selfishness
Lying
Abusive Language
Gossip

CREDITS

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19 Now we know that whatever the Law says, it speaks to those who are under the Law, so that every mouth may be closed and all the world may become **accountable to God;** **20** because by the works of the Law none of mankind will be justified in His sight; for through the Law *comes* knowledge of sin.

Galatians 3:10-13

New American Standard Bible

10 For all who are of works of the Law are under a **curse;** for it is written:

"CURSED IS EVERYONE WHO DOES NOT ABIDE BY ALL THE THINGS WRITTEN IN THE BOOK OF THE LAW, TO DO THEM."**11** Now, that no one is justified by the Law

before God is evident; for, "THE RIGHTEOUS ONE WILL LIVE BY FAITH."**12** However, the Law is not of faith; on the contrary, "THE PERSON WHO PERFORMS THEM WILL LIVE BY THEM."**13** Christ redeemed us from the **curse** of the Law, having become a **curse** for us—for it is written: **"CURSED** IS EVERYONE WHO HANGS ON A TREE"—

Died with Christ

- Crucified
 - The Cross Indicts Me
 - Self Reliance Dies

Galatians 2:20

New American Standard Bible

²⁰ I have been **crucified with Christ**; and it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the *life* which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself up for me.

Colossians 2:13-14 English Standard Version

¹³ And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our trespasses, ¹⁴ by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands. This he set aside, **nailing it to the cross.**

Died with Christ

- Baptized

Romans 6:3-5 New American Standard Bible

³ Or do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus have been **baptized into His death?** ⁴ Therefore we have been buried with Him through **baptism into death**, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, so we too may walk in newness of life. ⁵ For if we have become **united with Him in the likeness of His death**, certainly we shall also be *in the likeness* of His resurrection,

Colossians 2:8-12 New American Standard Bible

⁸ See to it that there is no one who takes you captive through **philosophy and empty deception** in accordance with **human tradition**, in accordance with the **elementary principles of the world**, rather than in accordance with Christ. ⁹ For in Him all the fullness of Deity dwells in bodily form, ¹⁰ and in Him you have been made complete, and He is the head over every ruler and authority; ¹¹ and in Him you were also **circumcised** with a circumcision performed without hands, in the removal of the body of the flesh by the circumcision of Christ, ¹² having been **buried with Him in baptism**, in which you were also raised with Him through faith in the working of God, who raised Him from the dead.

Died with Christ

- Hidden with Christ

1 John 3:1-2 New American Standard Bible

3 See how great a love the Father has given us, that we would be called children of God; and *in fact* we are. For this reason the world does not know us: because it did not know Him.

2 Beloved, now we are children of God, and it has not appeared as yet what we will be. We know that when He appears, we will be like Him, because we will see Him just as He is.

Colossians 2:3 New American Standard Bible

3 in whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge.

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- In God

John 10:28-29 New American Standard Bible

28 and I give them eternal life, and they will never perish; and no one will snatch them out of **My hand.** **29** My

Father, who has given *them* to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch *them* out of the **Father's hand.**

Raised with Christ

- Alive
- New Life



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1 Corinthians 15:42-44

New American Standard Bible

⁴² So also is the resurrection of the dead. It is **sown** a perishable body, it is **raised** an imperishable body; ⁴³ it is **sown** in dishonor, it is **raised** in glory; it is **sown** in weakness, it is **raised** in power; ⁴⁴ it is **sown** a natural body, it is **raised** a spiritual body. If there is a natural body, there is also a spiritual *body*.

Ephesians 2:5

English Standard Version

⁵ even when we were **dead** in our trespasses, made us **alive** together with Christ—by grace you have been saved

Raised with Christ

- Seeking the things above

Matthew 6:19-21 English Standard Version

19 "Do not lay up **for yourselves** treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal, **20** but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal.

21 For where your treasure is, there your **heart** will be also.

- Jesus: "they have their reward"

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- Revealed with Him in glory

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