

THE *Spirit of Life*

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The Just Shall Live by Faith

By faith, we are born again, a spiritual man. Only a holy man can fulfill a holy law. We have a righteousness which is by faith. God has given us great and precious promises so that, through them, we can become partakers of His divine nature and escape the corruption that is in the world caused by evil desires. The promises teach us that we are born again, a spiritual man, no longer of this world. We are now citizens of heaven who live as strangers here on earth. A dead man who belongs to another world cannot be tempted.

This is how Jesus lived His life on earth. “He that is dead is free from sin.” A dead man can’t sin. No one who is born of God will continue to sin. We reckon ourselves dead to this world and the flesh. If given the opportunity, the world leads us deeper and deeper into sin. Many Christians have lost their faith by either turning back to the world or back to the law. When they do, they fall from grace. We are saved by grace through faith. It is only by faith that we hold onto spiritual things. If that confidence we had in the beginning remains until the end we shall be saved.

Fight the good fight of faith. Faith is the only thing you have that the devil wants. He uses trials, persecutions and desires of this world to steal our faith. If he succeeds, we fall away or become worldly and bear no fruit. We are cut off and thrown into the fire. Present your body as a living sacrifice unto God and come alive as a spiritual man, born again. I am not of this world anymore.