***Get Dead***

**Galatians 2: 20**

**“I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me…”**

The motto of a corrupt culture is “Be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to yourself.”

The Bible has a much different approach as it demands we must die to ourselves.

*Romans 8: 13,* “For if you live according to the sinful nature, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the misdeeds of the body, you will live.”

These two perspectives can never be reconciled, because the latter is based on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and the former is based on a \_\_\_\_\_\_.

**“…And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God…”**

This same contentious culture will try to convince you to “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in yourself.”

Only those who believe in Jesus will surrender control of our lives to him.

*Matthew 17: 25 & 26,* “For whoever wants to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for me will find it. What good will it be for a man if he gains the whole world, yet forfeits his soul?”

Believing in yourself and believing in Christ are both \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ positions, yet these two positions lead to opposing destinations.

**“…who loved me and gave himself for me.”**

Only after we get \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ are we able to truly come to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

The resurrection of Jesus had to be preceded by a willingness to die.

*1 Corinthians 15: 3 & 4,* “For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance; that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures.”

There will be no new life until we willingly put the old self on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

*Romans 6: 4,* “We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.”