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DISCUSSION GUIDE - March 23, 2025

Or Did You Not Know? (Part 3 of Mystical Cruciformity)

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SUMMARY

Taken from the first lines of Romans chapter 6, this sermon expounds on the idea Paul brought to the Romans: How shall we who died to sin still live in it? Sin's final destination was death; sin — our distorted form and perceived separation — died with Christ. Like the Romans, we find ourselves in similar situation if we believe we're less than Christ. Do we actually understand the cross and that all of humanity participated in Jesus' death, burial, resurrection, and ascension ... that we are seated in heavenly places? We are engulfed in Christ.

ICE BREAKER

What's the most surprising thing you've learned recently that changed your perspective on something you thought you understood well?

KEY VERSES

- Romans 6:1-4
- 1 Peter 3:18-20
- John 3:13-15
- Galatians 2:20
- Acts 28

GLOSSARY ITEMS

- “Baptism” synonyms: steeped, flooded, infused, overwhelmed, soaked, plunged, drenched, saturated, immersed, engulfed
- Conflation
- Law of first mention
- Recapitulation
- Sacrificial vs. passover
- *Apothnesko* (Greek)
- *Metanoia* (Greek)



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SEEDS FOR DISCUSSION

- The cross was about the end of one race (Adam) and the birth of another (Christ)
- Through Christ's death, we have already died to everything that could kill us and are alive in Christ
- Sin isn't something you do; it's something you "catch." It's an idea passed on from Adam, and it didn't need to be cured; it needed to be killed. How did it die?
- Our position in Christ is not just spiritual but affects every aspect of our lives including physical reality.
- The wages for sin are also the solution.