

The Desperate Believer Delivered

Text: Romans 7:24-25

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A. The Desperate Believer in Conflict

1. The desperate believer defined

Rom. 7:24

2. The desperate believer's condition

Rom. 7:24b

B. The Deliverance of the Desperate Believer in Conflict

1. Deliverance is assured because of the Gospel

Rom. 7:21-25, 1 Cor. 15:53-58

a. Deliverance from sin's penalty: saved – justified

Rom. 3:25, 2 Cor. 5:21

Application – Owned by Christ - 1 Cor. 6:19-20

b. Deliverance from sin's power: being saved –

Sanctification - Rom. 6:11-14, 1 Cor. 1:18

Application – Slave of Christ - 2 Cor. 5:14-15

c. Deliverance from sin's presence – final salvation –

Glorification – Rom. 8:30, Jude 24-25, 1 John 3:2

Application – Final conformity to Christ

2. Assured deliverance produces persevering Christians

Rom. 7:25b, Phil. 1:21-25, 2 Tim. 2:4-8