

Questions for Personal Study or Group Discussion

Open

- Do you remember your first “steady” boyfriend or girlfriend? What was so special about them?

Read

- Romans 7:1-6

Observe

- What imagery did Paul use in Chapter 6? What imagery does he use in these verses?
- Which of these images best helps you understand your relationship with Christ?
- What did the law produce in those who tried to live by it?
- How has Jesus changed that? What is the product of this change?

Apply

- Are there ways in which you are “married” to expectations of others? Are there ways you are “married” to rules (law) (written or unwritten) in your walk with Christ?
- What does bearing “fruit for God” look like in your life right now?

Prayer

- *Thank* God for freeing us from the impossible requirements of the law.
- *Thank* him for bringing the fruit of his Spirit to our lives.