

**GET A LIFE!**  
**Getting Your Life Under Control**  
(Romans 7:15-25)

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**I. The \_\_\_\_\_ of doing what I don't want to do**

*I don't understand myself at all, for I really want to do what is right, but I don't do it. Instead, I do the very thing I hate . . . I can't help myself . . . No matter which way I turn, I can't make myself do right. I want to, but I can't. When I want to do good, I don't. And when I try not to do wrong, I do it anyway. Romans 7:15, 17-19 (NLT)*

**A. When I do what I don't want to do, there is \_\_\_\_\_!**  
*I don't understand myself at all! Romans 7:15 (NLT)*

**B. When I do what I don't want to do there is \_\_\_\_\_!**  
*I know perfectly well that what I am doing is wrong . . . but I can't help myself. Romans 7:16, 17 (NLT)*

**C. When I do what I don't want to do there is \_\_\_\_\_!**  
*I've tried everything and nothing helps. I'm at the end of my rope. Is there no one who can do anything for me? Romans 7:24 (NLT)*

**The secret to getting your life under control is something that you \_\_\_\_\_!**  
*You will know the truth, and the truth will set you free. John 8:32 (NIV)*

**II. The \_\_\_\_\_ for personal change**

**A. I must \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of my \_\_\_\_\_.**  
*Now if I do what I do not want to do, it is no longer I who do it, but it is sin living in me that does it. Romans 7:20 (NIV)*

If I want to stop \_\_\_\_\_ myself, I must stop \_\_\_\_\_ myself.

**B. I must \_\_\_\_\_ that \_\_\_\_\_ can \_\_\_\_\_ me.**  
*Who will free me from this life that is dominated by sin? Thank God! The answer is in Jesus Christ our Lord. Romans 7:24, 25 (NLT)*

When I am \_\_\_\_\_ by Christ, then I can \_\_\_\_\_ my problems.

**C. I must \_\_\_\_\_ my \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.**  
*Confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you can live together whole and healed. James 5:16 (MES)*

\_\_\_\_\_ prevents \_\_\_\_\_.

**D. I must \_\_\_\_\_ my life \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.**  
*Do not let sin control the way you live . . . Instead, give yourselves completely to God. Romans 6:12, 13 (NLT)*

Freedom comes when you \_\_\_\_\_ what is going to \_\_\_\_\_ you.

**III. God's \_\_\_\_\_ for those who put him first**  
*God is faithful. He will keep the temptation from becoming so strong that you can't stand up against it. And when you are tempted, he will show you a way out so that you will not give into it. 1 Corinthians 10:13 (NLT)*