

Sin: What's at Stake

Psalm 51:1-5; Romans 7:21-25



Additional Scripture References

Matthew 22:37-40

Romans 5:12,18-19

Romans 7:19

Romans 8:1-4

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"There can be no agreement as to what salvation is unless there is agreement as to that from which salvation rescues us. The problem and the solution hang

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together...It is impossible to gain a deep grasp of what the cross achieves without plunging into a deep grasp of what sin is." Sin's Contemporary Significance

Belgic Confession, Article 15

"We believe that by the disobedience of Adam original sin has been spread through the whole human race. It is a corruption of the whole

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human nature—an inherited depravity which even infects small infants in their mother's womb, and the root which produces in humanity every sort

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of sin.

It is therefore so vile and enormous in God's sight that it is enough to condemn the human race, and it is not

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abolished or wholly uprooted even by baptism, seeing that sin constantly boils forth as though from a contaminated spring." The Doctrine of Original Sin

Augustine

"not able not to sin."



We are not sinners because we sin, we sin because we are sinners.



Adam's Sin was Representative of All Humanity



Adam's Sin Created a Spiritual Battle