

# **The Enemy/ Flesh Within**

## **Romans 7:14-25**

### **Background**

The Lament of a Believer or Unbeliever

### **Who is this Enemy Within us?**

1. The enemy in us is a LAW.
2. The enemy in us NEVER SLEEPS.
3. The enemy is there even in the midst of pursuing godliness.
4. The enemy attacks the mind, affections and the will. James 1:14-15

### **Subtle Ways the Enemy Works**

## **How to Fight the Enemy**

1. Be watchful of the deceit of sin. Guard the mind. Romans 12:2 / Phil. 4:8
2. Meditate on the cross to see the depth of our sin and the fullness of Christ's love. Phil. 4:13
3. Fill your affections with heavenly things. Colossians 3:1-4
4. Live in the strength of God's grace. 2 Corinthians 12:9-10
5. Live by the Spirit. Galatians 5:16-24
6. Live by Faith in God's truth and His promises
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  - a. Truth
  - a. Promises
8. Devote yourself to God's Word and Prayer
9. Look forward to Heaven .