## IF WE HAVE BEEN RAISED WITH CHRIST, HOW SHALL WE NOW LIVE? PART 2: GET RID OF ALL YOUR FLESHLY REACTIONS & STOP LIVING A LIE Colossians 3:8-11

I. *Review:* PUT YOUR SEXUAL SIN TO DEATH: Do not let it live (5-7)

## II. PUT OFF ALL YOUR UNGODLY FLESHLY REACTIONS: Get rid of them (8-11)

- A. The command: "Get rid of these fleshly attitudes and outward manifestations ..." (8a)
- B. Throw of what? Ugly, ungodly, evil, fleshly reactions and the outward manifestations ... (8b)
  - 1. Anger
  - 2. Wrath
  - 3. Malice
  - 4. Slander
  - 5. Abusive speech
- III. DO NOT LIVE A LIFE CONTRARY TO WHO YOU ARE IN CHRIST: Stop lying to one another, by living a lie in contradiction to who you are and what God is doing in you (9-11) and put it off (8)
  - A. Your old man and his practices have been stripped off (9)
  - B. You have been clothed with a new man who is being renewed (10-11)
    - 1. A renewal unto a true knowledge of Christlikeness (10)
    - 2. A renewal that doesn't come from man but rather from all in all Christ (10-11)
    - 3. A renewal that is not based on worldly distinctions, it is not about you or I or who we were (11)