

# JESUS BROKE THE POWER OF SIN

## BIG TRUTH: JESUS BROKE THE POWER OF SIN

Romans 8:1-3, 15; 1 Corinthians 15:55-57

## BIBLE VERSE: COLOSSIANS 1:19-20

*“For in Him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through Him to reconcile to Himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of His cross.”*

## BIG IDEAS

- Only Jesus can defeat sin because He alone is fully God and man.
- Jesus lived a sinless life and died a sacrificial death in our place.
- Sin has no power over those who have been saved by the blood of Jesus.

## BIBLE PASSAGE: COLOSSIANS 1:15-22

### KNEEL - I AM AN AMBASSADOR

The Kneel Year is an exploration of what it means to worship God with our all (Luke 10:26-28). Worship is not something that is limited to a service once a week, but instead occurs every day, in all of life. We are unceasing worshippers. Worship never stops, it only changes directions. In order to worship God with all of our heart, soul, strength, and mind, we must embrace our identity as image bearers. It is out of that identity that we can begin to live for God’s glory in all of life (Colossians 3:17).

## SERIES AIMS



### Every student should know that...

- The gospel is the good news of Jesus Christ that brings salvation to sinners.
- Salvation comes by grace alone through faith alone in Christ alone.
- Jesus followers have been trusted with the gospel in order to share it with others.



### Every student should strive to...

- Share the gospel each month with at least one person who does not know Jesus.
- Practice sharing the gospel using multiple different tools or methods.



### Every student should feel...

- Humbled that as believers we have been entrusted with the glorious gospel of our Savior.
- Satisfied in Jesus as the only true Savior



### Every student should want...

- To grow in awareness of the false saviors they are tempted to put their hope in.
- To have a softened heart and love for people who are lost
- To take advantage of opportunities to share the gospel with people in their lives who need Christ

## STUDENT WORKOUT:

This week we will ponder the victory we have over sin because of the death of Jesus and how we can share this good news with others. We will pray for boldness to share the good news of the gospel and we will practice telling others that Jesus’ death broke the power of sin over us.

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**Read and meditate on Colossians 1:15-22 this week. As you meditate on these verses ponder these questions:**

- How can you better understand the truth that Jesus is fully God and fully man?
- How can you explain to others this truth and what it means for those who believe He is the Savior?
- How can you use your own life to explain to others the way Jesus broke the power of sin with His death?

Consider some specific ways that you have been able to resist the temptation to sin because Jesus' death broke the power of sin in your life. How can you share these with others as a way of sharing the gospel with them?



**Make a point to spend time every morning in prayer this week.**

- As you pray, thank God for sending Jesus to die in our place. Spend time thanking Him that the power of sin is broken in our lives. Ask the Holy Spirit to guide you to share this truth with others.
- Plan a time to pray with your parent or small group leader this week. As you pray together, pray for specific people in your life who do not know Jesus as their Savior. Pray that God would give them faith and they would live in the truth that the power of sin is broken by the death of Jesus.



**Memorize Colossians 1:19-20 this week.**

- Write the verses on index cards or put them in your phone. Keep them in a place you can easily see or get to as you commit them to memory.
- Make a list of people you interact with weekly. From that list, choose one person to pray for specifically. As you pray for them, pray that God would give you boldness to share the gospel with them. Practice the way you will begin the conversation by either writing it down or going over it in your mind.