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SIN

Fuoma

BROKEN CONNECTION

- Sin brought death

Isa 59:2 / ESV

but your iniquities have made a separation between you and your God, and your sins have hidden his face from you so that he does not hear.

- God is holy
- We can't set what is sin or it's wages
- We can't call sin something God hasn't

INIQUITY

TRANSGRESSION

TRESSPASS

SIN

- (Awon) crookedness. It denotes not an action, but the character of an action
- (Pesha) Refers to ways that people violate the trust of others, like the betrayal of a relationship
- Asham ("sin"), is used very frequently in the Old Testament. Violation of law of which God is the author
- KHATA miss the mark

WE ARE ALL TEMPTED

James 1:14-15 / AMP

¹⁴. But each one is tempted when he is dragged away, enticed and baited [to commit sin] by his own [worldly] desire (lust, passion). ¹⁵. Then when the illicit desire has conceived, it gives birth to sin; and when sin has run its course, it gives birth to death.

- The devil knows man well
- He wants you to feel condemned
- Like you are not worthy

WHAT'S WRONG WITH ME?

Romans 7:15 / AMP

¹⁵ For I do not understand my own actions [I am baffled and bewildered by them]. I do not practice what I want to do, but I am doing the very thing I hate [and yielding to my human nature, my worldliness—my sinful capacity].

1 John 3:8–9

⁸ Whoever makes a practice of sinning is of the devil, for the devil has been sinning from the beginning. The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the works of the devil. ⁹ No one born of God makes a practice of sinning, for God's seed abides in him; and he cannot keep on sinning, because he has been born of God.

- Intentional sin, with an unrepentant heart
- Unintentional sin, with a repentant heart

HOMOLOGEO

The word has the literal meaning of "to say the same thing." In the New Testament, homologeō is often translated as "confess" or "confession."

GRACE

- We are all saved by grace
- He died for you before you stopped sinning
- The Lord's prayer includes forgiveness

Romans 6:1-2 / ESV

1. What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin that grace may abound? 2. By no means! How can we who died to sin still live in it?

Philippians 2:13 / AMP

For it is [not your strength, but it is] God who is effectively at work in you, both to will and to work [that is, strengthening, energizing, and creating in you the longing and the ability to fulfil your purpose] for His good pleasure.

Colossians 1:21-23 / AMP

²¹ And although you were at one time estranged and alienated and hostile-minded [toward Him], participating in evil things, ²² yet Christ has now reconciled you [to God] in His physical body through death, in order to present you before the Father holy and blameless and beyond reproach ²³ [and He will do this] if you continue in the faith, well-grounded and steadfast, and not shifting away from the [confident] hope [that is a result] of the gospel that you have heard, which was proclaimed in all creation under heaven, and of which [gospel] I, Paul, was made a minister.

- Jesus does not condemn you
- Acknowledge your sin
- Confess your sin
- Stop living a lifestyle of sin
- Allow him to change you by getting closer to him