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The Consequences of Sin
Genesis 3:8-24

THE DISORDER FROM SIN GENESIS 3:8-19

1. Sin brings shame to our lives. Genesis 3:7-11

- ❖ Shame changes my relationships and perspective on life.
Genesis 3:7 *Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they knew that they were naked;*
- ❖ Shame changes my relationship with God.
Genesis 3:8 *They heard the sound of the Lord God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God...* Psalm 51:11
- ❖ Shame deprives me of good things God made for me.
Genesis 3:8 *...the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God among the trees of the garden* Psalm 51:12
- ❖ Shame creates emotional instability in my life.
Genesis 3:10 *He said, "I heard the sound of You in the garden, and I was afraid because I was naked; so I hid myself."* 1 Peter 5:6-8
- ❖ Shame blinds me to God's grace.
Genesis 3:11 *And He said, "Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?"* John 3:17; 1 Corinthians 4:4

2. Sin brings blame to our lives. Genesis 3:12, 13

- ❖ We blame God.
Genesis 3:12 *The woman whom You gave to be with me...*
- ❖ We blame people we supposedly love.
Genesis 3:12 *...she gave me from the tree, and I ate.*
- ❖ We blame our circumstances.
Genesis 3:13 *And the woman said, "The serpent deceived me, and I ate."*

3. Sin brings pain _____ to our lives. Genesis 3:14-19

- ❖ We have spiritual pain.
Genesis 3:15 *And I will put enmity between you and the woman, And between your seed and her seed...*
John 8:44; I Peter 5:8; II Timothy 1:8, 9

- ❖ We have physical pain.
Genesis 3:16 ...*Your pain in childbirth...*

- ❖ We have pain in relationships.
Genesis 3:16 ...*Yet your desire will be for your husband, And he will rule over you."*

- ❖ We have pain in work and the earth.
Genesis 3:14, 17-19 *Cursed is the ground because of you; In toil you will eat of it... By the sweat of your face you will eat bread.* Romans 8:20-22

- ❖ We have the pain of death.
Genesis 3:19 ...*For you are dust, And to dust you shall return.* Romans 5:12

THE NEW ORDER FROM GOD, GENESIS 3:20-24

Matthew 11:28; Philippians 3:10, Romans 5:11-15; 16:20

God still seeks those who are lost. Luke 19:10

Colossians 1:21, 22

Once you were alienated from God and were enemies in your minds because of your evil behavior. But now He has reconciled you by Christ's physical body through death to present you holy in His sight, without blemish and free from accusation—



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