



Part 2: Lose It  
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### Main Points

We've all tried to find the Good Life in our own unique and useless ways.

The Good life isn't about improving... it's about removing.

Sin prevents us from fully experiencing the Good Life.

Losing our old life is the the only way to find the Good Life.

The Good Life is experiencing the freedom of being completely loved and accepted by God.

The Good Life is found by accepting a New Life.

### Message Passage

*When you came to Christ, you were "circumcised," but not by a physical procedure. Christ performed a spiritual circumcision—the cutting away of your sinful nature. For you were buried with Christ when you were baptized. And with him you were raised to new life because you trusted the mighty power of God, who raised Christ from the dead.*

*You were dead because of your sins and because your sinful nature was not yet cut away. Then God made you alive with Christ, for he forgave all our sins. He canceled the record of the charges against us and took it away by nailing it to the cross. In this way, he disarmed the spiritual rulers and authorities. He shamed them publicly by his victory over them on the cross.*

*Colossians 2:11-15 NLT*

### Challenge This Week: How do I experience the new life?

#### 1. Accept it

#### 2. Enjoy it

*Remember who you are: Read Romans 8:1-2*

*Fight Back*

#### 3. Share it

### Discussion Questions

1. How have you seen God working in your life this week?
2. What stood out, challenged, encouraged, or bothered you in this week's message and/or passage?
3. Read Romans 8:1-2. What does this mean for you and for Jesus-followers as a group in living the "good life"? What would it be like to have these two sentences be part of your daily thinking?
4. What barriers/challenges/questions do you have in living out the "good life" this week? How can your group pray for you in this?

### "Show Notes" Resources & Links:

**Let us know you're here!**  
**Transcript || Kids Stuff ||**  
**Podcast**

**Social Media Giveaways:**  
This week: Ratchet Brewery  
Last week: Nancy Jo's Burgers

**Donate** to Crosscreek & keep a good thing goin'

**Music** we listened to:  
Crowder- Prove It  
The Oh Hello's- The Lament of  
Eustace Scrubb  
Coldplay- A Sky Full of Stars

**Drive In Parties:**  
Easter Eve Tailgate Party:  
April 3, 4:30pm

**Suggested Bible Reading:**  
2 Corinthians 5:13-21  
Romans 7:15-8:17



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