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Greek Exegesis

**Lesson 31**  
**Romans 8:12-17**

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**II The Doctrine of the Christian Faith Romans 1:18 - 11:36**

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The Indictment: The Doctrine of Condemnation

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The Imputation: The Doctrine of Justification

Romans 6:1 - 8:39

The Impartation: The Doctrine of Sanctification

## **Romans 6: The Power over Sin**

## **Romans 7: The Problem of the Flesh**

## **Romans 8: The Provision of the Spirit**

Romans 8:1-4	The Plan of Sanctification
Romans 8:5-11	The Procedure of Sanctification
Romans 8:12-17	The Product of Sanctification
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Romans 8:31-39	The Position in Sanctification

# The Four Spiritual Laws of the Believer

## Law One

**Romans 6:1 - 7:12    The Law of God**

**It's purpose: Not meant to produce life but to make sin known**

## Laws Two and Three

**Romans 7:13-25    The Law of Sin**

**The Law of the Mind**

## Law Four

**Romans 8:1-39    The Law of the Spirit of Life in Christ Jesus**

## **Summary of Romans 8:1-11**

**I belong to Christ because Jesus saved me by putting His Spirit in me.**

**Once I am born of the Spirit of Christ, I am under the Law of the Life of the Spirit in Christ Jesus.**

**My spirit is saved but my flesh is not.**

**The body will eventually be redeemed and will be raised and changed into a glorious body.**

## **Romans 8:12-17**

### **The Product of Sanctification**

## **Romans 8:12-13**

### **The Obligation in Sanctification**

## **Romans 8:14**

### **The Reason for Obligation**

## **Romans 8:15**

### **The Adoption in Sanctification**

Line 3089:

(3346) Ἄρα

Then

Line 3090:

(3347) οὖν,

Therefore,

Line 3091:

(3348) ἀδελφοί,

brothers,

Line 3092:

(3349) ὀφείλεται

debtors

Line 3093:

(3350) ἐσμέν,

we are,

Line 3094:

(3351) οὐ

not

Line 3095:

(3352) τῇ

the

Line 3096:

(3353) σαρκί, =

to flesh,

Line 3097:

(3354) τοῦ

the

Line 3098:

(3355) κατὰ (3356) σάρκα

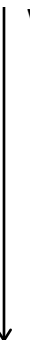
according to

flesh

Line 3099:

= (3357) ζῆν·

to live;





**Other people make us feel obligated or indebted.**

**Circumstances make us feel obligated or indebted.**

**Anything that has to do with the arena of the flesh,  
we are not debtors to it.**

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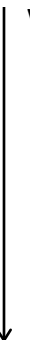
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Line 3100:

(3358) εἰ

if

Line 3101:

(3359) γὰρ

for

Line 3102:

(3360) κατὰ (3361) σάρκα

according to

flesh

Line 3103:

(3362) ζῆτε,  
you are living,

Line 3104:

(3363) μέλλετε

you are about

Line 3105:

(3364) ἀποθνήσκειν·

to die;



Line 3106:

(3365) εἰ

if

Line 3107:

(3366) δὲ

but

Line 3108:

(3367) πνεύματι

by Spirit

Line 3109:

(3368) τὰς

the

Line 3110:

(3369) πράξεις

practices

Line 3111:

(3370) τοῦ

the

Line 3112:

(3371) σώματος

of body

Line 3113:

(3372) θανατοῦτε,

you are putting to death,

Line 3114:

(3373) ζήσεσθε.

you will live.



**Notice it is God's Spirit that puts  
to death "the practices of the body."**

**"you will be killing sin or sin will be killing you"**

**John Owen**

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Line 3116:

Line 3117:

Line 3118:

Line 3119:

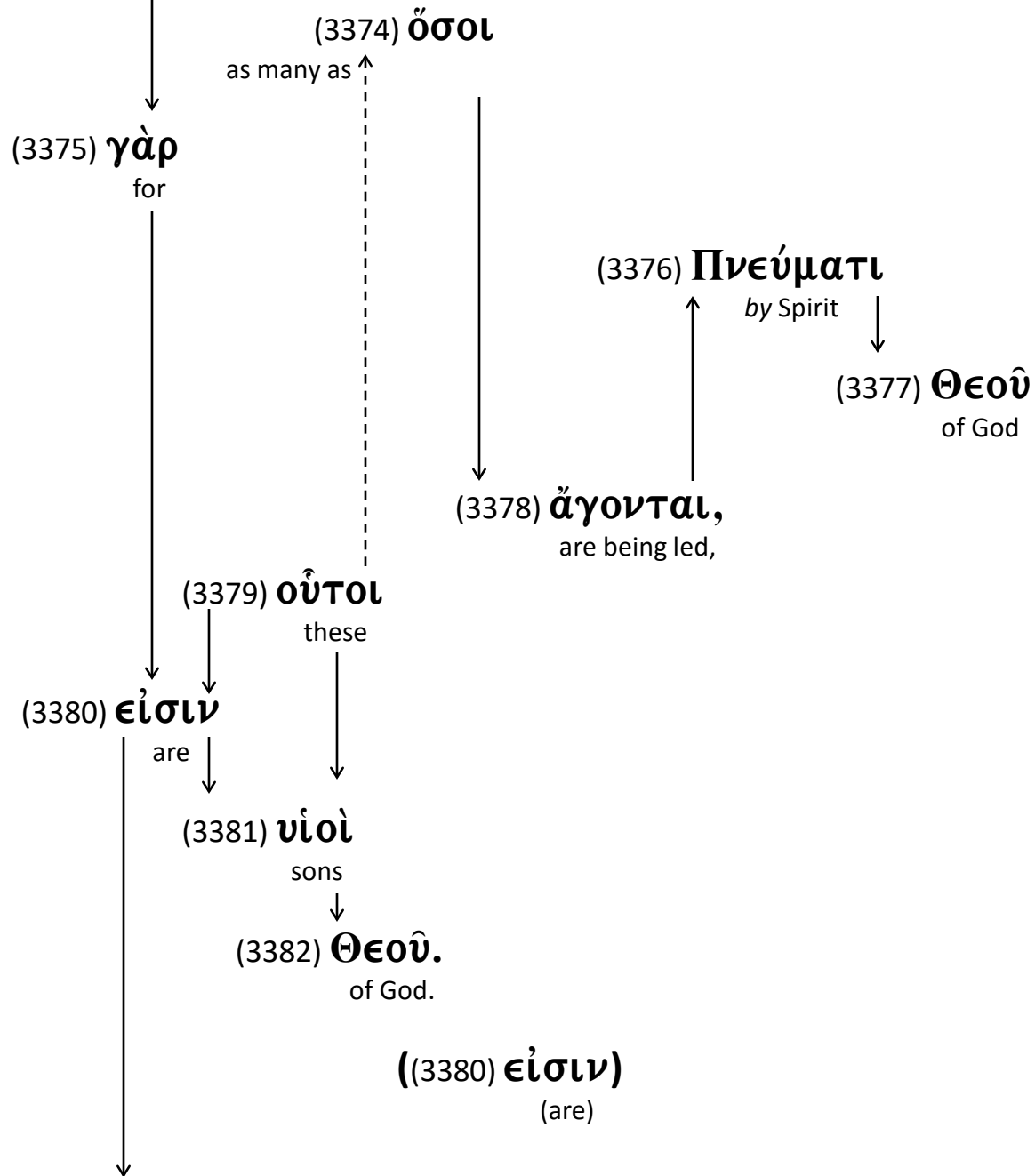
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Line 3124:



**Proverbs 16:9**

*The heart of a man will plan his way,  
but Yahweh will establish his step.*



## **Psalm 37:23-24**

<sup>23</sup> The steps of a man have been established from Yahweh; and He will delight in his way.

<sup>24</sup> Though he will fall, he is not cast down; because Yahweh *is the One* holding his hand.

### **Romans 8:3-5**

<sup>3</sup> For inability of the Law, in which it was weak through the flesh, God having sent His own Son in *the* likeness of flesh of sin, and concerning sin, He condemned sin in the flesh,

<sup>4</sup> in order that the righteous requirement of the Law might be fulfilled in us, the ones not walking according to flesh, but according to Spirit.

<sup>5</sup> For the ones being according to flesh are minding the things of the flesh. And the ones *being* according to Spirit *are minding* the things of the Spirit.

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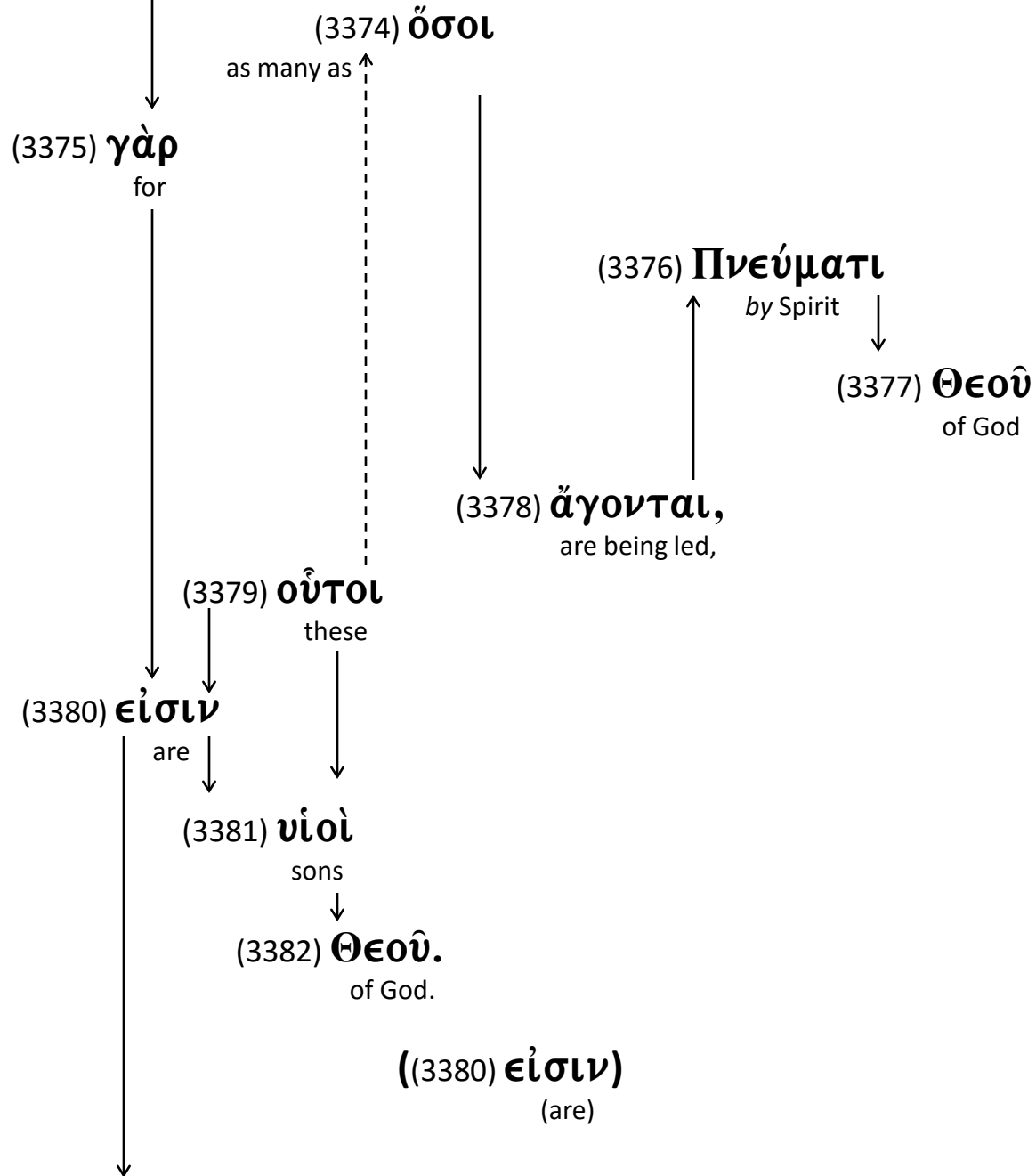
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Line 3125:

(3383) οὐ  
not

Line 3126:

(3384) γὰρ  
for

Line 3127:

(3385) ἐλάβετε  
you did receive

Line 3128:

(3386) πνεῦμα  
Spirit

Line 3129:

(3387) δουλείας  
of slavery

Line 3130:

(3388) πάλιν  
again

Line 3131:

(3389) εἰς (3390) φόβον,  
for fear,

Line 3132:

(3391) ἀλλ' ((3391) ἀλλά)  
but (but)

Line 3133:

(3392) ἐλάβετε  
you received

Line 3134:

(3393) πνεῦμα  
Spirit

Line 3135:

(3394) υἰοθεσίας,  
of adoption,



Line 3136:

(3395) ἐν (3396) ὧ  
in which



Line 3137:

(3397) κράζομεν,  
we are crying,



Line 3138:

(3398) Ἄββα, =  
Abba,

Line 3139:

(3399) ὁ  
the



Line 3140:

= (3400) πατήρ.  
Father.

## **Galatians 4:4-7**

<sup>4</sup> Now when the fullness of the time came, God sent out His Son, having become from out of woman, having become under Law,

<sup>5</sup> in order that He might redeem the ones under Law, in order that we might receive the adoption.

<sup>6</sup> And because you are sons, God sent out the Spirit of His Son into your hearts, crying, Abba! Father!

<sup>7</sup> So that you are no longer are *a* slave, but *a* son, and if *a* son, also *an* heir of God through Christ.

## **I Corinthians 12:3**

On account of this I am making known to you that no one speaking in *the* Spirit of God is saying, Curse Jesus. And no one is able to say Lord Jesus, except in *the* Holy Spirit.

## **Romans 8:26-28**

<sup>26</sup> And likewise also the Spirit also is helping with our weaknesses. For we do not know the thing which we should pray for according to what is necessary, but the Spirit Himself is interceding on behalf of us with inexpressible groanings.

<sup>27</sup> But the One searching the hearts knows what *is the* mind of the Spirit, because He is interceding according to God on behalf of *the* saints.

<sup>28</sup> And we know that to the ones loving God, God is working all things work together for good, to the ones being called according to *His* purpose;





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