

INTRODUCTION:

1. PAUL WARNS OF ETERNAL DEATH AND PROMISES ETERNAL LIFE (8:13).

a. Paul issues a conditional warning about fleshly living and eternal destruction (8:13a).

(1) *"For if ye live after the flesh"*

(2) *"ye shall die"*

b. Paul issues a conditional promise about mortification and eternal life (8:13b).

(1) *Paul gives us a sharp contrast: "but"*

(2) Paul gives us a condition: *"IF...ye do mortify the deeds of the body."*

(3) Paul reveals the persons to whom this condition is given: *"ye"—Christians*

(4) He shows us how to meet the condition: *"through the Spirit"*

(5) He connects a promise to the condition: *"ye shall live."*

CONCLUSION: