

Series: A New You (Ephesians)

Sermon: Why Sin Won't Stop

Bible Verses: Ephesians 4:17-5:7

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Big problem: Living immorally leaves us with _____ inheritance in the Kingdom of God!

Paul insists: We cannot _____ as though we aren't believers - _____ must stop.

It's not primarily that I've **done** something bad **with** _____ **or legs**,
it's that _____ has been closed off to God.

If I have a hard heart, I am _____ and its effects, and I will
indulge in it without too much thought.

In *reality* _____ is killing me, but hardness in my heart (and mind) doesn't even let me feel it!

Becoming like Christ, and finding the life of God, involves _____ in my
_____, learning about Christ, and heart change.

Only God, _____, and the Holy Spirit overcomes our hard hearts!

Ways that we are given new hearts:

Growth Group prep (to learn about Growth Groups visit www.revo.church/growth-groups)

- Have you ever had a time when you, your child, or someone you know *didn't want to listen* to good advice?
- What were some of the reasons you/they didn't want to hear?
- Describe, in your own words what "a hard heart" really is? Remember the definition given in the sermon, too.
- Why do you think many Churches and Christians focus on *behavior change* but not on *heart change*?