CHAPTER 6.

z We may not live in sin, zz nor let sin reign any more. 23 Death the wages of sin.

WHAT shall we say then?

p Shall we continue in sin,

that agrace may abound?
2 God forbid. How shall we,
that are dead to sin, live any longer therein?

3 Know ye not, that 'so many of us as "were baptized "into Jesus Christ "were baptized into his death?

4 Therefore we are *buried with him by baptism into death: that like as "Christ was raised up from the dead by athe glory of the Father, even so b we also should walk in newness of life.

5 For cif we have been planted together in the likeness of his death, we shall be also in the likeness of his resurrection:

6 Knowing this, that cour old man is crucified with him, that the body of sin might be destroyed, that henceforth we should not serve sin.

7 For h he that is dead is 8 i freed from sin.

8 Now kif we be dead with

Christ, we believe that we shall also live with him:

raised from the dead dieth no more; death hath no more dominion over him.

10 For in that he died, dhe died unto sin conce: but in that Heb. 10. 10. he liveth, he liveth unto God.

11 Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be f dead indeed unto sin, but alive gunto God through Jesus Christ our Lord. 12 Let not isin therefore reign

in your mortal body, that ye should obey it in the lusts there-

13 Neither lyield ye your members as instruments of unrighteousness unto sin: but m yield yourselves unto God, as those that are alive from the dead, and your members as 2 instruments of righteousness unto God.

14 For sin shall not have dominion over you: for oye are not under the law, but under grace. 15 What then? pshall we sin, because we are not under the law, but under grace? God forbid.

16 Know ye not, that 'to whom ye yield yourselves servants to obey, his servants ye are to whom ye obey; whether of sin unto death, or of obedience unto righteousness?

17 But God be thanked, that ye were the servants of sin, but ye have obeyed from the heart that form of doctrine which was delivered you.

18 Being then "made free from sin, "ye became the servants of righteousness.

of men because of the infirmity ch. t. 20. 19 "I speak after the manner of your flesh: for as ye have vielded your members servants to uncleanness and to iniquity unto iniquity; even so now vield your members servants to righteousness unto holiness.

20 For when ye were the servants of sin, ye were free 6 from righteousness. 6 Gr. to righteousness.

b Cp. ch. 7.5. ch. 1. 32 & 8. 6, 13. Prov. 14. 12. d Heb. 9. 28.

f ver. 2. g Gal. 2. 19. h ch. 5. 12. i Ps. 19. 13. k ch. 2. 7. z Pet. z. 3, 4 ver. 19. ch. 7. 5, 23. Col. 3. 5. James 4. 1.

Prov. 6. 13. 2 Gr. arms, or,
weapons.
2 Cor. 10. 4 m ch. 12. 1. 1 Pet. 4. 2. z Cor. 7. 39 John x. 17. ver. z. Cp. 1 Cor. 9. 21.

Mat. 5. 32.

Cp. Mat. 6. 24. ch. 6. 2 & 8. 2. Gal. 5. x8. Eph. 2. x5. Col. 2. x4. ch. 2, 20. 3 Gr. where-Cp. Luke x. 4.

z Cor. 7. 22. z Pet. 2. 16. ch. 3. 5. 4 Gr. passions. Gal. 5. 24. Gal. 4. 13. r Cor. 3. 2. a ch. 6. 13.

5 Or, being dead to that. Cp. ver. 4. ch. 6. 2. d ch. 2. 27,

9 Knowing that a Christ being | a Rev. x. x8. | 21 b What fruit had ye then in those things whereof ye are now ashamed? for othe end of those things is death.

22 But now being made free from sin, and become servants to God, ye have your fruit unto holiness, and the end everlasting life.

23 For the wages of sin is h death; but the gift of God is keternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.