

# Romans



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## **1 Peter 2:16**

as free, yet not using liberty as a cloak for vice, but as bondservants of God.

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## Slave

One who was bound to his master in chords so strong that only death could break them, one who served his master to the disregard of his own interests, one whose will was swallowed up in the will of his master.

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## **2 Peter 2:19**

While they promise them liberty, they themselves are slaves of corruption; for by whom a person is overcome, by him also he is brought into bondage.



# SET FREE FROM SIN



**John 8:32**

And you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.

Jesus is the Truth *John 14:6*

God's Word is Truth *John 17:17*

# PRESENT YOURSELF TO GOD



## **Romans 12:1**

I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service.

# LIVE FOR GOD



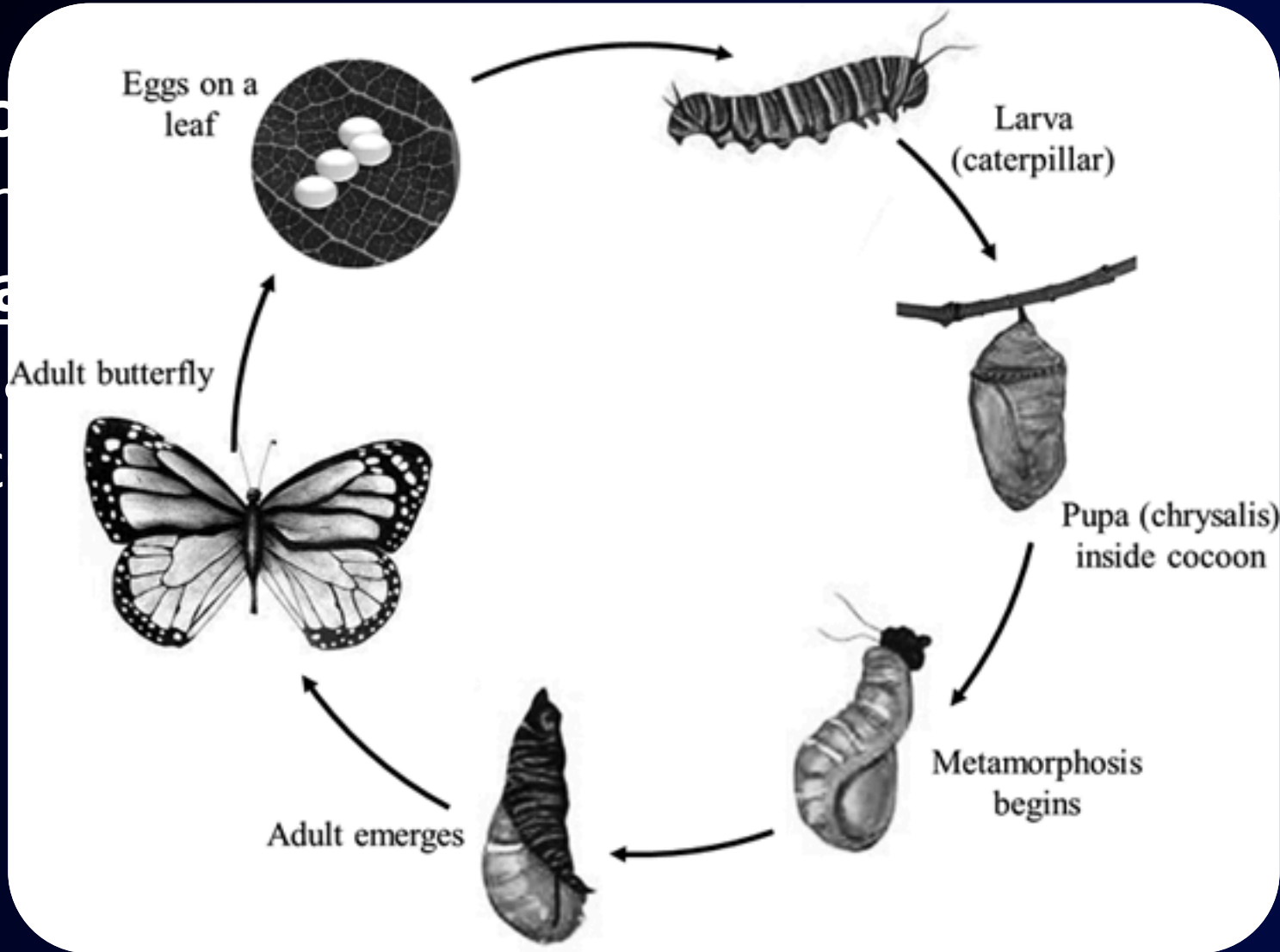
## **Romans 12:2**

And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.

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# FRUIT UNTO SANCTIFICATION



## **Galatians 5:22–23**

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law.

# CONTRAST



WAGES  
GIFT

SIN  
GOD

DEATH  
ETERNAL LIFE

# SHALL WE SIN? CERTAINLY NOT!



## **Galatians 5:1**

Stand fast therefore in the liberty by which Christ has made us free, and do not be entangled again with a yoke of bondage.

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## **Deuteronomy 30:19**

I call heaven and earth as witnesses today against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; therefore choose life, that both you and your descendants may live



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