

# **The Sin That Besets Us**

Sin is our most determined enemy. Sin seeks to rob us of everything good God has designed for us. Paul tells us that sin brings death (Romans 7:11). Yet it is subtle; it packages itself attractively (2 Corinthians 11:14-15). Sin stealthily and relentlessly entangles our lives. We can free ourselves from sin's bondage only if we recognize it for what it is. If we call sin a "mistake," "bad habit," or a "weakness," we will never escape its grasp. Has it kept you from being the best husband, wife, son, daughter, friend, or Christian you could be? If so, throw off its weight by having faith (John 8:24) and obeying Jesus (Acts 17:30; Romans 10:10; Acts 22:16). He will free you from its grasp!

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