

ROMANS

Sanctification -
7-8

Colosseum





Arch of Constantine



**Roman
Forum**

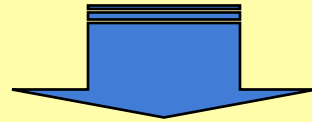


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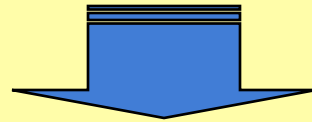
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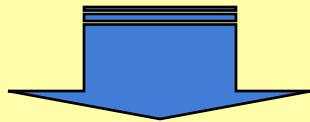
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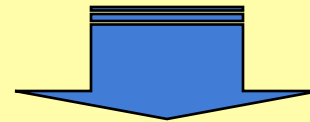
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PRINCIPLES



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PROBLEMS



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 - 2. Problems 7**
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 - b. Sin Nature cannot Sanctify 7:13-25**
 - 1) Case of Sin Nature Raised 7:13**

7:13 Therefore did that which is good become a cause of death for me? May it never be! Rather it was sin, in order that it might be shown to be sin by effecting my death through that which is good, so that through the commandment sin would become utterly sinful.

SIN'S SINFULNESS

- 7:5 - Sinful passions working**
- 7:7 - awareness of sin**
- 7:8 - sin produced coveting**
- 7:9 - sin became alive, I died**
- 7:11 - sin deceived me, killed me**
- 7:13 - sin shown utterly sinful**

**MRI Machine -
Good**

**Cancer -
Bad**



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LAW'S VALUE

- 1. Inerrant - Ps 19:7-9**
- 2. Reveals sin - 7:7, 2:18**
- 3. Instrument of God - 7:8, 11, 1Tim 1:8**
- 4. Promotes life - 7:10, Ps 119:50**
- 5. Holy & Righteous - 7:12**
- 6. Good - 7:12, 13, 16**
- 7. Spiritual - 7:14**
- 8. Of God - 7:22**

7:14-17 For we know that the Law is spiritual, but I am of flesh, sold into bondage to sin. 15 For what I am doing, I do not understand; for I am not practicing what I would like to do, but I am doing the very thing I hate. 16 But if I do the very thing I do not want to do, I agree with the Law, confessing that the Law is good. 17 So now, no longer am I the one doing it, but sin which dwells in me

SINFUL NATURE

1. Old man -

6:6

2. Body of sin -

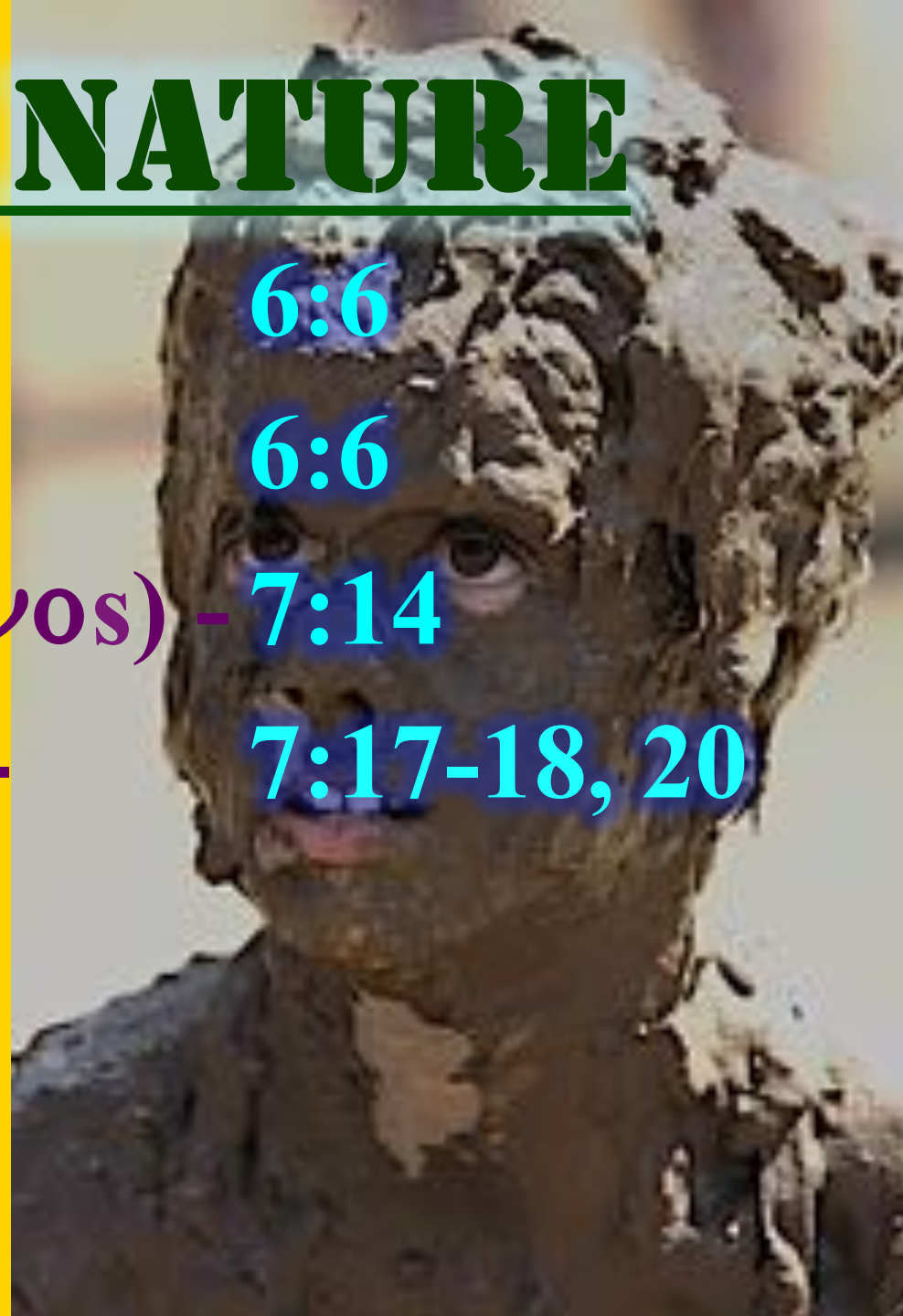
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3. Fleshly (σαρκινος) -

7:14

4. Indwelling sin -

7:17-18, 20



2 NATURES

Old Nature
Filthy Rags
Unrighteous
Sin
Bondage
Deadness



**Every Spiritual
Blessing**

NEW NATURE

- 1. Regenerated life - 5:21**
- 2. Resurrection life - 6:6**
- 3. Desiring good - 7:15-16, 18-19, 21**
- 4. Hating sin - 7:15, 19**
- 5. Agreeing with law - 7:16, 22**

2 NATURES

1. Sinful Nature

Body of sin - 6:6, Col 2:11

Flesh - 7:14, 1Cor 3:1-4

Indwelling sin - 7:17-18, 20

Natural man - 1Cor 2:14, 15:44-46

**2. New Nature - Eph 4:23-24,
1Cor 2:15-3:1**

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7:18 For I know that nothing good dwells in me, that is, in my flesh; for the willing is present in me, but the doing of the good is not.

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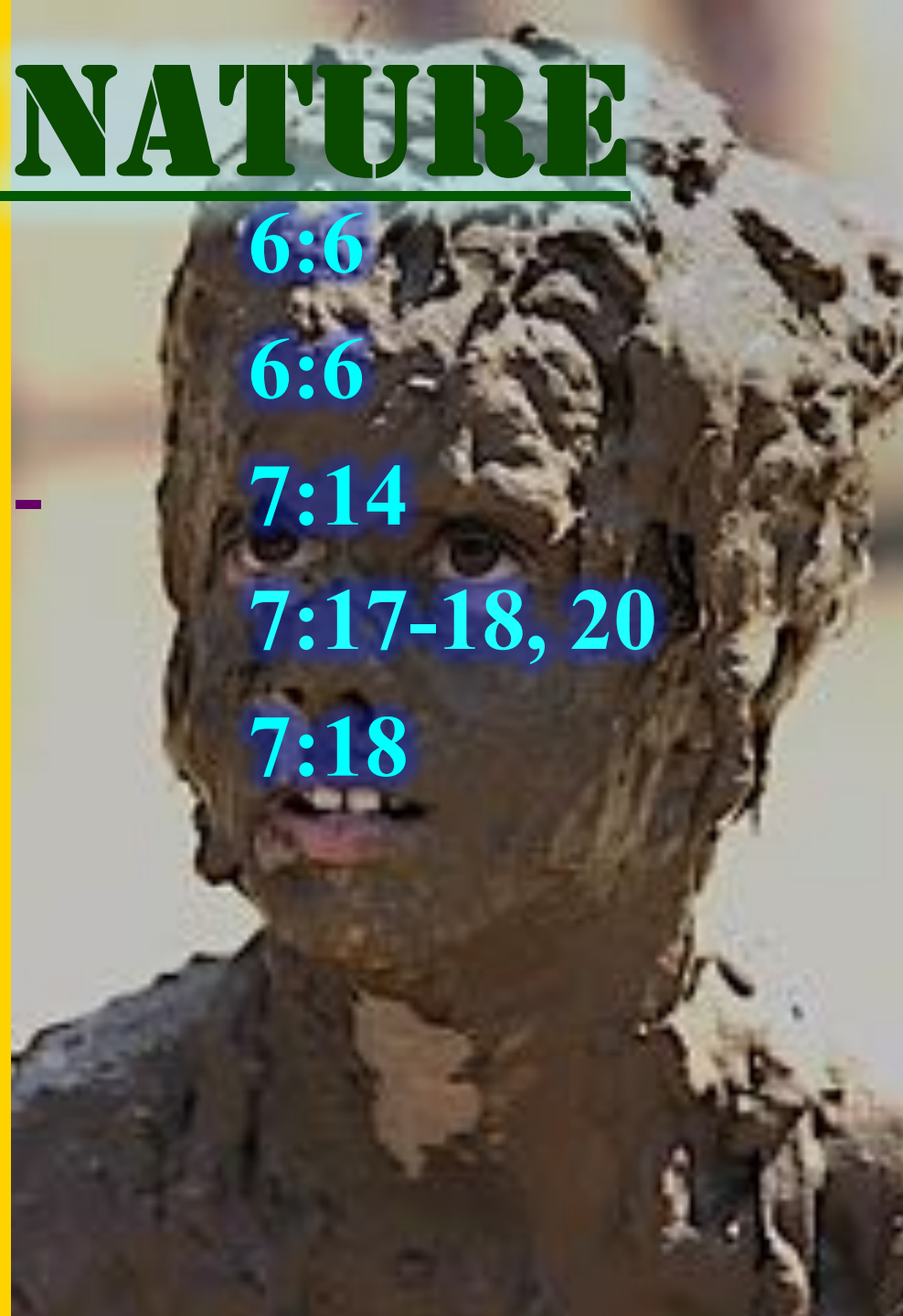
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4. Indwelling sin -

7:17-18, 20

5. Nothing good -

7:18



7:19 For the good that I want (θελω), I do not do (ποιεω), but I practice (πρασσω) the very evil that I do not want (θελω).

7:20 But if I am doing (ποιεω) the very thing I do not want (θελω), I am no longer the one doing (κατεργαζομαι) it, but sin which dwells in me.

**Will power is not
enough to
sanctify**



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4) Consequence of Sin Nature	7:21-25

7:21-23 I find then the principle that evil is present in me, the one who wants to do good. 22 For I joyfully concur with the law of God in the inner man, 23 but I see a different law in the members of my body, waging war against the law of my mind and making me a prisoner of the law of sin which is in my members.

YOU AND
THAT STUPID
BLANKET!

~~SIN NATURE!~~



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6. Accurate assessment - 7:18, 21, 23, 25

7:24 Wretched man that I am!

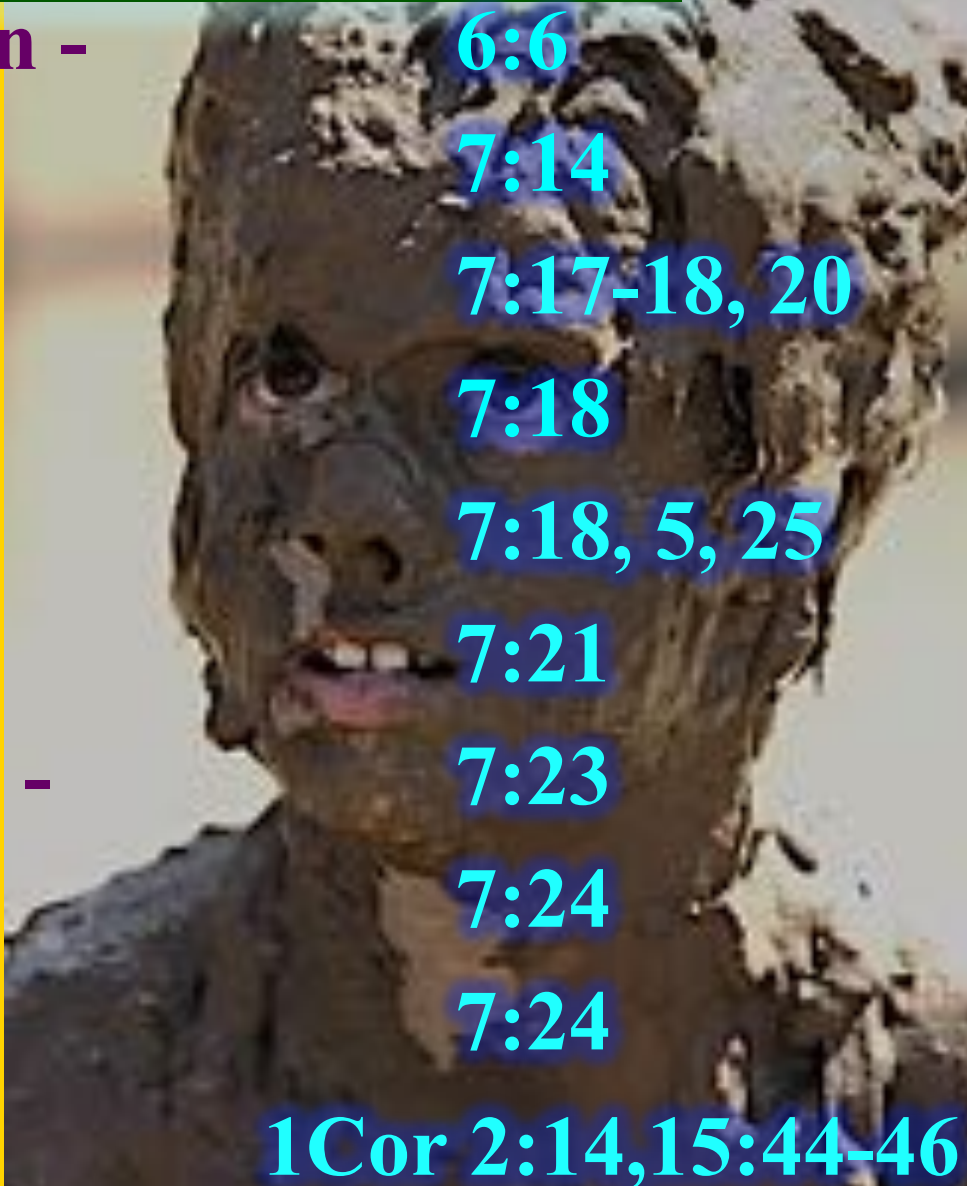
**Who will set me free from the
body of this death?**

**7:25 Thanks be to God through
Jesus Christ our Lord! So then,
on the one hand I myself with
my mind am serving the law of
God, but on the other, with my
flesh the law of sin.**

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- 6. Accurate assessment - 7:18, 21, 23**
- 7. Inner man - 7:22**
- 8. Regenerated mind - 7:23, 25**
- 9. Thankful heart - 7:25**
- 10. Spiritual nature - 1Cor 2:15-3:1**

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 4. Nothing good - 7:18
 5. Flesh (σαρξ) - 7:18, 5, 25
 6. Evil present - 7:21
 7. Prisoner of Law of sin - 7:23
 8. Wretched man - 7:24
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PRINCIPLES - 7

10. Church Age believers are not under Law

**11. Law was never intended to
& cannot sanctify believers**

12. Law is useful for exposing sin

13. Sanctification involves internal warfare

14. Sanctification doesn't reform sin nature

15. Will power cannot sanctify

16. Law & self-effort ends in wretchedness

INTERNAL WARFARE

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- Law -> pride or frustration
 - Self-effort -> constant failure
 - Will-power -> insufficient
- = Wretchedness

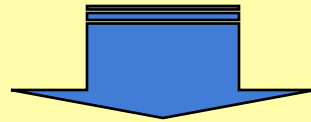
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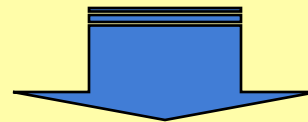
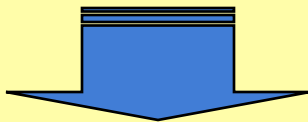
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“If Holy Scripture was a ring and the Epistle to the Romans its precious stone, chapter 8 would be the sparkling part of the jewel.”

(Spener)

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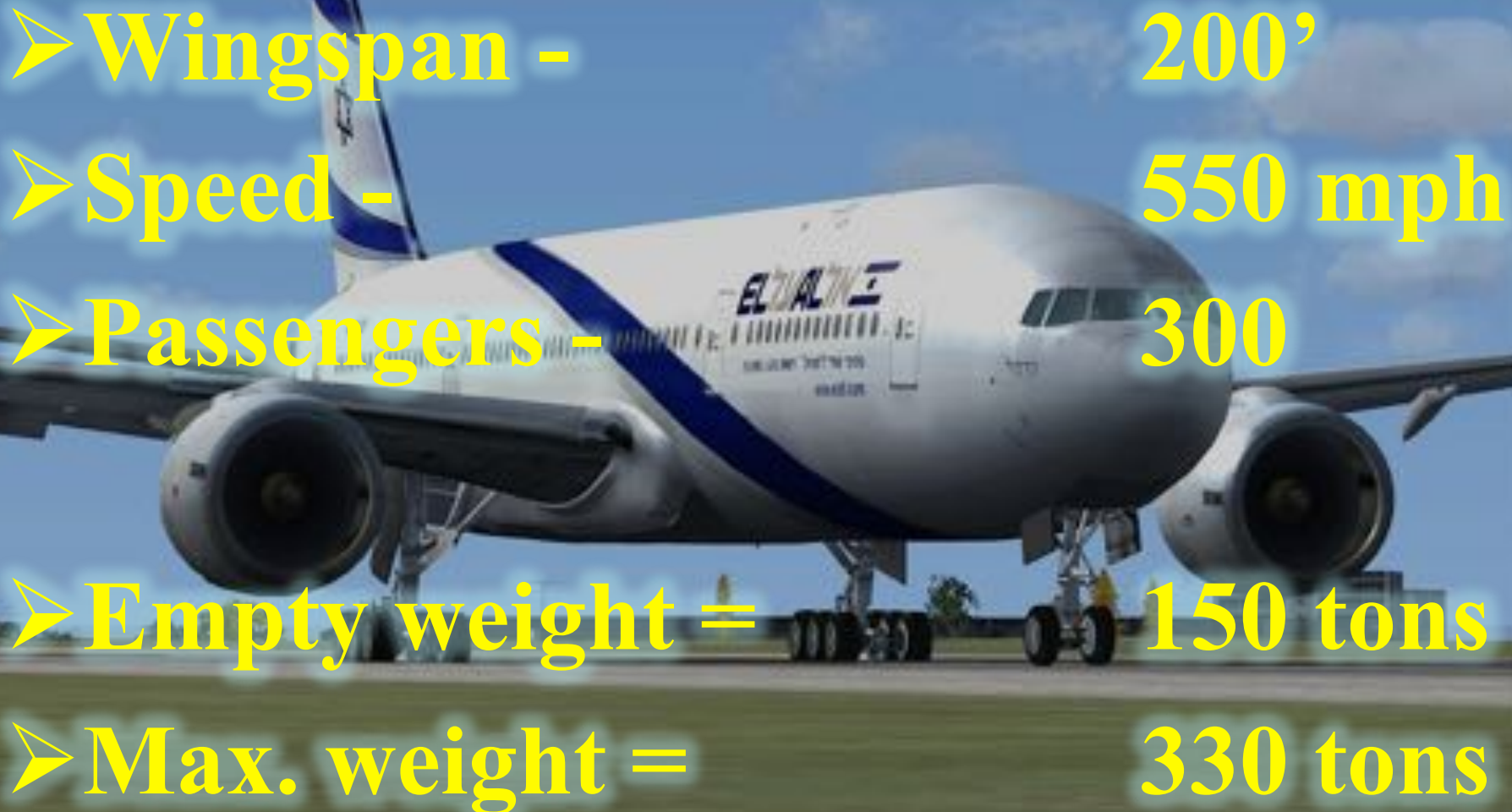
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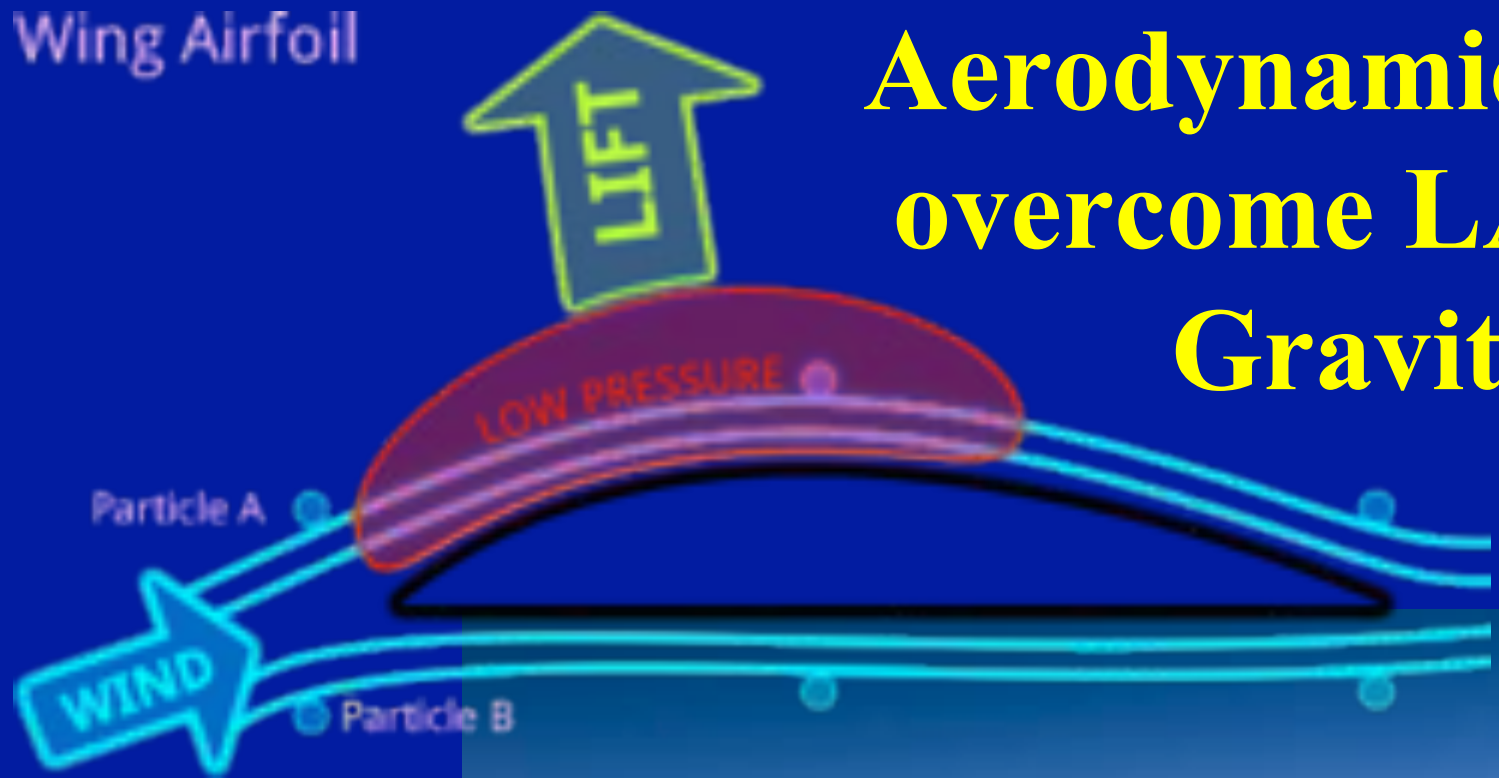


BOEING 777

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- Wingspan - 200'
 - Speed - 550 mph
 - Passengers - 300
 - Empty weight = 150 tons
 - Max. weight = 330 tons

Wing Airfoil

Aerodynamic forces overcome LAW of Gravity



NO CONDEMNATION

- 1. Justification = forgiveness +
declaring righteous**
- 2. Christ's Death - for all sins +
for sin nature**
- 3. Walking in flesh = choosing to live
in servitude to sin nature**
- 4. Sanctification = choosing to walk in
HS rather than flesh**

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c) Freedom from God	8:3-4

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3. **Law - 8:3-4 = 7:22**
= Mosaic Law or Covenant



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- 5. In HS - power available**

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2) Contrast of Flesh & Spirit	8:5-8
a) Battle of the Mind	8:5

A photograph of the Sea of Galilee at sunset. The sun is a bright yellow orb on the right side of the horizon, casting a long, shimmering reflection across the water. In the middle ground, a long pier structure with several truss bridges extends into the lake. The sky is a gradient of orange and yellow, and the water is dark with gentle ripples.

Sea of Galilee

**There is hope in this life
for only the Christian
walking in the Spirit!!!**