



## **KILLING THE SEVEN DEADLY SINS BEFORE THEY KILL YOU**

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### **Colossians 3 ESV**

1 If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. 2 Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. 3 For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. 4 When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

### **Kill the sins of misdirected love.**

5 Put to death therefore what is earthly in you: sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry.  
**Lust, Gluttony, Greed, Envy**

### **Kill the sins that destroy relationships.**

8 But now you must put them all away: anger, wrath, malice, slander, and obscene talk from your mouth. 9 Do not lie to one another  
**Wrath, Pride, (even Sloth)**

### **Kill the appetites that oppose heaven.**

2 Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth.

### **Kill the patterns of your old nature.**

1 “If then you have been raised with Christ...” 3 For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God....9...you have put off the old self with its practices 10 and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge after the image of its creator.

**Sanctification is the slow process of killing not just the seven deadly sins but killing self.**

**Killing the 7 deadly sins**  
**Before They Kill You**

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**Colossians 3:1-2**

For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

**Colossians 3:3-4**

Put to death therefore what is earthly in you: sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. On account of these the wrath of God is coming.

**Colossians 3:5-6**

In these you too once walked, when you were living in them. But now you must put them all away: anger, wrath, malice, slander, and obscene talk from your mouth.

**Colossians 3:7-8**

Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have put off the old self with its practices and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge after the image of its creator.

**Colossians 3:9-10**



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misdirected love.**

# BIG IDEA:

The sin of lust will consume and destroy. The only antidote is a new identity and true intimacy with God and others.

**Gluttony is consuming  
more than one needs.**

**It is refusing to say, "Enough."**

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves have received from God. **2 Cor. 1:3-4**

Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you."

**Hebrews 13:5**

**Kill the sins that  
destroy relationships.**

Know this, my beloved brothers: let every person be quick to hear, slow to speak, slow to anger; for the anger of man does not produce the righteousness that God requires.

**James 1:19-20** ESV

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that oppose heaven.**



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

**Galatians 5:22-23**