

The Ruin of Mankind and the Reign of Death – Romans 5:12-14

Theme: The sinful disobedience of Adam resulted in universal

_____.

- I. Sin entered the _____ through Adam – 5:12
 - A. The great sin of Adam was his disobedience to the command not to _____ of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil.
 - B. Adam disobeyed God explicit _____.
- II. Death is the result of _____ – 5:12
 - A. God _____ Adam that death would follow if he ate the fruit.
 1. Think about it – Adam and Eve were not created to _____.
 2. Death was a _____ consequence of sin.
 - B. The consequence of this sin was death – both _____ death and spiritual death.
- III. Death spread to all people because all people _____ in Adam – 5:12
 - A. Adam is the _____ for all mankind, and when he sinned, all people sinned in Adam.
 1. We _____ in his sin. We sinned in Adam.
 2. Gromacki – One sin, by one man, made the entire world _____ of sin.
 - B. The common response to this truth – “That’s not _____! I didn’t eat the fruit. Why should I be judged and punished?”
 - C. Illustration: We live in a representative _____.
 - D. Adam was our representative and when he chose to sin, he cast a vote on _____ behalf - and for all humanity that would follow him.

IV. Death is _____ – 5:13-14

- A. Adam’s sin affected all humanity and this is evidenced in the fact that death is universal in every tribe, tongue, and _____.
 - B. Sin was present in the world before the Law of Moses was given.
 - C. All of humanity from Adam to Moses was guilty of sin – even though they were not guilty of sinning in the _____ way Adam did.
 1. They were still sinners, but they were not _____.
 2. The death of all people is _____ or evidence that Adam’s sin was imputed to all people universally.
 - D. The evidence of sin is seen by death _____ from Adam to Moses.
 1. How do we know that Adam’s sin was imputed to all mankind – because all people die / in Adam all _____.
 2. 1 Corinthians 15:21-22
 - E. Adam was a _____ of the coming Christ.
 1. In Adam, all die, but all who put their faith in Christ shall be made _____.
 2. Everyone without _____ is subject to death and eternal separation from God in hell – which is cast into the lake of fire.
- V. Application / Response to God
- A. God’s Word is _____.
 - B. _____ is coming.
 - C. Adam’s entire race is _____.

God wants me to _____
