

A.M. — *Sin Doesn't Work!*

- I. Sin doesn't work _____.
- (Hab 1.13; Is 59.1-2; 1Jn 1.5-6)
- A. In view of His sovereignty and holiness...
1. Sin was cast out of His presence (Gen 3.22-24)
 2. Moses stood on "holy ground" (Ex 3.5)
 3. High Priest was "Holy to the Lord" (Ex 28.36)
 4. Nadab & Abihu's condemnation (Lev 10.3)
 5. Moses & Aaron's condemnation (Num 20.12)
 6. In His presence, His nature described... (Is 6.3; Rev 4.8)
- B. His spiritual nature (Jn 4.24) vs. the carnality of sin... (1Jn 2.15-17; Eph 2.1-3)
- II. Sin doesn't work _____.
- A. Spiritual capacity, designed for fellowship with God... (Gen 2.7; 3.8a; cf. Eccl 3.11,14; 7.29)
- B. With conscience, sense of "ought / ought not"...
1. Adam & Eve hid from God (Gen 3.8b; Pr 28.1)
 2. Sense of law written on hearts (Rom 2.14-15)
 3. Paul's struggle, spirit vs. flesh (Rom 7.21-23)
- III. Sin doesn't work _____.
- A. Shared spiritual / moral nature. (see above)
- B. Sin affects relationships...
1. Adam & Eve, accusation, etc. (Gen 3.12)
 2. Cain & Abel, hatred, murder (Gen 4.5,8)
 3. World generally by Noah's day (Gen 6.5,11)
 4. Consequences of rejecting God (Rom 1.28-31; cf. 1Cor 6.9-10; Titus 3.3)
- IV. Conclusion (Rom 6.23)
- A. And we are all guilty. (Rom 3.23)
- B. By God's grace and mercy, a solution was offered and persists... (Lk 5.32; Acts 2.36-38)