## **Understanding Spiritual Death**

Ephesians 2:1-3

## I. A Declaration of Spiritual Death vs. 1

Genesis 2:16-17; 3:4-8

Romans 3:23

Ephesians 1:7

## II. A Description of Spiritual Death vss. 2-3

1. Spiritual death means captivity to the world. vs. 2a

Proverbs 14:12

2. Spiritual death means captivity to Satan. vs. 2b

Ephesians 6:11-12

Acts 26:18

2 Corinthians 4:3-4

3. Spiritual death means captivity to sinful desires. vs. 3a

Jeremiah 17:9

4. Spiritual death means captivity to a sinful nature. vs. 3b