# Romans 7:7-8 (ESV) – The Heart of the Law

What then shall we say? That the law is sin? By no means! Yet if it had not been for the law, I would not have known sin. For I would not have known what it is to covet if the law had not said, “You shall not covet.” **8**But sin, seizing an opportunity through the commandment, produced in me all kinds of covetousness. For apart from the law, sin lies dead.

**Sermon Notes**

What Paul has said about the law

Sin turns law into \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

The Jews and their experience of the law

Paul’s experience of the law

Jesus’ teachings

The aim and central point of the whole law was this:

Why covetousness?

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