

Body & Spirit

I drive around in my car. I might have a dent in the side; I might have a flat tyre; I might have a hole in my exhaust pipe; I might have many things wrong with my car.

What am I saying? I'm talking nonsense! How can I have a dent in the side, or how can I have a flat tyre, or how can I have a broken exhaust pipe. Please read the above again and see the use of the 'I'.

Isn't that ridiculous? I am the driver of the car and can have none of these things. I should correctly say - My car has a dent in its side, my car has a flat tyre, or my car has a hole in its exhaust. *I don't*. Perhaps I should not even say 'my' car. Perhaps I should say 'the' car.

So accustomed and familiar with my car have I become, that I have ended up relating it, to myself. Have you become so accustomed to your body, that you do the same? Do you say 'my' body. It isn't 'your' body it's God's body.

Hebrews. 10:5. Wherefore when He cometh into the world, he saith, Sacrifice and offering thou wouldest not, but a body hast thou prepared for me.

He prepared a body for you too, but that is not YOU, that is just the vehicle He has supplied for you to move around in, in the physical world, so that you can Glorify His life through it, so that He may be seen. Yet in my flesh shall I see God.

If your car gets wrecked and towed away to be demolished in the scrap-yard, how does that affect the driver? In Germany they call the scrap-yard, the autofriedhof, meaning car graveyard, interesting huh? Ring any bells!

YOU are Spirit. YOU are NOT your body. You're body is only the car, YOU are Spirit, the driver, and the driver is HE. For He that is joined to the Lord is ONE Spirit. ONE Driver.