

TRUE FREEDOM!

Luke 4:18-19 *"The Spirit of the Lord has appointed me to preach Good News to the poor; he has sent me to heal the brokenhearted and to announce that captives shall be released and the blind shall see, that the downtrodden shall be freed from their oppressors, and that God is ready to give blessings to all who come to him."*

Galatians 5:1 *"Freedom is what we have. Christ has set us free."*

1. JESUS CAN SET US FREE FROM THE BURDEN OF GUILT!

Ephesians 1:7-8 *"For by the death of Christ we are set free. That is, our sins are forgiven. How great is the grace of God which He gave to us in such large measure."*

2. JESUS CAN SET US FREE FROM THE PAIN OF RESENTMENT!

Ephesians 4:31-32 *"Get rid of all bitterness and rage and anger. Be kind and compassionate to one another forgiving each other just as in Christ, God forgave you."*

3. JESUS CAN SET US FREE FROM THE EXPECTATIONS OF OTHERS!

1 Thessalonians 2:4 *"We don't aim to please men but to please God who knows us through and through."*

4. JESUS CAN SET US FREE FROM THE CONTROL OF DESIRES!

John 8:34, 36 *Jesus said, "Everyone who sins is a slave of sin. But if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed."*

Galatians 5:16-17a *"If you are guided by the Spirit, you will be in no danger of yielding to self-indulgence, since self-indulgence is the opposite of the Spirit..."*

5. JESUS CAN SET US FREE FROM THE FEAR OF DEATH!

Hebrews 2:14-15 *"Jesus became like us and shared our human nature. He did this so that through his death he might destroy the Devil who has the power over death and so set free those who were slaves all their lives because of the fear of death."*

John 8:36 *"So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed."*