

Freedom Unchained

Week 3: The Real Master

Scripture: *John 8:34–35* - “Jesus replied, ‘Very truly I tell you, everyone who sins is a slave to sin. Now a slave has no permanent place in the family, but a son belongs to it forever.’”

1: Sin Is Not a Struggle—It’s a Master When You Stop Resisting

“Everyone who sins is a slave to sin.”

- Jesus teaches that sin is not just an _____; it’s a master with a hold.
- When sin is unchallenged, it becomes your _____.
- Many believe they’re in control—but sin always takes _____ than it promises.

2: Slavery to Sin Keeps You from Belonging Where You Were Meant to Be

“A slave has no permanent place in the family...”

- Sin not only _____—it separates.
- Slaves didn’t _____. They had no lasting _____.
- When we’re owned by sin, we _____ from the blessings and intimacy of being God’s child.

3: Freedom Begins When You Shift Masters

“But a son belongs to it forever.”

- The Son (Jesus) sets us free to become _____ and _____.
- Sons don’t live in _____ of being kicked out—they live in _____ and grace.
- You don’t need to _____—you just need to _____.

R.A.P. Challenge (Reflect – Act – Pray)

Reflect: What sin patterns have subtly taken master status in your life?

Act: Identify one area where sin has been dictating your behavior—confess it and submit it to Christ.

Pray: “Father, I no longer want to live like a slave. Help me walk in the freedom and identity of being your child.”