

SERMON NOTES



June 11 - 12, 2016

“God wants each of us to live a *full, free and light* life!

How To Get Set Free – 2 Daily Priorities:

1. Meet with God

- a. Find rest
 - You will never have God’s best in a life of unrest because God speaks in a still, small voice.
- b. Find recreation
- c. Find refreshment
- d. Find a blessed quietness
 - In quietness comes confidence

2. Have a daily Bible reading plan

- a. To be free, you must be intentional!
- b. Commit to a daily challenge: Read Ephesians for the month of June.

How To Live Free:

1. *Personal relationship* with Jesus Christ
2. Knowing your *position* in Jesus Christ
3. Know your *possessions* in Jesus Christ
4. Know your *purpose* in Jesus Christ
5. Know your *power* in Jesus Christ

Matthew 11:28-30 (AMP)

²⁸ “Come to Me, all who are weary and heavily burdened [by religious rituals that provide no peace], and I will give you rest [refreshing your souls with salvation]. ²⁹ Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me [following Me as My disciple], for I am gentle and humble in heart, and YOU WILL FIND REST (renewal, blessed quiet) FOR YOUR SOULS. ³⁰ For My yoke is easy [to bear] and My burden is light.”

- Run to God and expect a refreshing and relieve!
- Learn about God! Come to God, take and learn!
- Accept God's call and will for your life.
- Live each day by priorities.
- Focus on the daily process
- What you lost in Christ, you will find in Christ.

Matthew 11:28-30 (MSG)

²⁸⁻³⁰ “Are you tired? Worn out? Burned out on religion? Come to me. Get away with me and you'll recover your life. I'll show you how to take a real rest. Walk with me and work with me—watch how I do it. Learn the unforced rhythms of grace. I won't lay anything heavy or ill-fitting on you. Keep company with me and you'll learn to live freely and lightly.”

- God will restore!
- God gives real rest!
- Who you walk with, you become like.
- Learn rhythms of grace.
- Learn to live a free, full and light life!

John 8:30-32 (KJV)

³⁰ As he spoke these words, many believed on him. ³¹ Then said Jesus to those Jews which believed on him, If ye continue in my word, then are ye my disciples indeed; ³² And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.

The key to have a great experience with God is “yieldedness.”

- *Yield* means to surrender to God.
- My *yieldedness* is connected to my experience and closeness to God.
- The minute I stop yielding to God, progress stops.
- The more you yield to God and walk with God, the more bondages break off of your life.

Discussion Questions:

1. What daily priorities can you activate in your life to help you get free?
2. How can you live a free life?
3. Daily Challenge: Read Ephesians for the month of June.

Resources:

If you would like to look at “**FREEDOM**” sermon series in more depth, Church On The Rock bookstore has excellent resources available.

