

# Silver Creek Fellowship NOTES

June 30

## REAL FREEDOM

**John 8:32 (NIV)** “And you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.” (NIV)  
**1 Peter 2:16** “Live as people who are free, not using your freedom as a cover-up for evil, but living as servants of God.”

**Isaiah 61:1 (NIV)** “The Spirit of the Sovereign LORD is on me, because the LORD has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim freedom for the captives and release from darkness for the prisoners,”

**Psalms 118:5 (NIV)** “Out of my distress I called on the Lord; the Lord answered me and set me free.”

**Galatians 5:1 (NIV)** “For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery.”

### WHAT CAN JESUS SET ME FREE FROM?

#### 1. Jesus wants to set you free from the pain of your past.

Two things people have a hard time getting over –

Resentment

Regret

**Isaiah 43:18-19 (NCV)** “The Lord says, ‘Forget about what has happened. Do not think about the past. Instead look at the new thing I am going to do.’”

**Romans 12: 19 (NLT)** “Dear friends, never take revenge. Leave that to the righteous anger of God. For the Scriptures say, “I will take revenge; I will pay them back,” says the LORD”.

**Psalms 34:18 (NIV)** “The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and He saves those whose spirits have been crushed.”

**God doesn't want you walking around with a load of guilt.**

**Romans 3:23-24 (TLB)** “All have sinned; all fall short of God's glorious ideal, yet God now declares us “not guilty” of offending him if we trust in Jesus Christ, who in his kindness freely takes away our sins.

**Job 11:13-16 (GN)** "Put your heart right, reach out to God then face the world again firm and courageous. Then all your troubles will fade from your memory like floods that are past and remembered no more."

**2. Jesus wants to set you free from the pressures of today.**

**Isaiah 40:28-29 (NLT)** "God never grows faint or weary. He gives power to those who are tired and worn out."

**Philippians 4:13 (NIV)** "I can do everything through Christ, who gives me strength."

**1 Peter 5:7 (AMP)** "Cast all your cares [all your anxieties, all your worries, and all your concerns, once and for all] on Him, for He cares about you [with deepest affection, and watches over you very carefully]."

**3. Jesus wants to set you free from pessimism about tomorrow.**

When you are facing a situation that needs changed and you can't change it.

When you don't have a purpose to live for.

**WHAT DOES GOD THINK ABOUT YOU?**

**Jeremiah 29:11 (NIV)** "'I know what I am planning for you,' says the Lord, 'I have good plans for you, not plans to hurt you. I will give you hope and a good future.'"

**Hebrews 6:19 (NIV)** "We have this hope as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure".

**Psalms 125:1 (NIV)** "Those who trust in the Lord are as steady as Mount Zion unmoved by any circumstance."

**Isaiah 54:10 (GN)** "The mountains and hills may crumble but My love for you will never end, so says the Lord who loves you."

**WOULD YOU LIKE A FRESH START WITH GOD?**

**Revelation 3:20 (NIV)** "Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in and fellowship with him."