

FREEDOM IN CHRIST
Freedom to Be Who God Made Us to Be
– John 21:18-22 –

1. Jesus _____ Me & _____ Me

- Gal. 5:1 - "It is for freedom that Christ set us free."

- Phil. 1:6 - "...he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion."

2. We Can Trust That God is _____ & _____

- John 18:22 - "...what is that to you?"

- Rev. 15:3-4 - All will declare that God is just

3. God Uses Each of Us _____

- Mark 1:16-20 - the calling Peter & John

- Ezra & Nehemiah

4. There Is _____ & _____ in Jesus

- Matt 11:29-30 - "...you will find rest for souls. For My yoke is easy and My burden is light."

Romans 8:15 - "For you did not receive a spirit that makes you a slave to fear, but you received the Spirit of sonship. And by Him we cry, 'Abba, Father.'"

Application Questions. . .

1. What especially spoke to you in this message?
2. What reactions do you have to this message?
3. What is your "church" background like? Has it inhibited you from experiencing freedom in Christ? How so?
4. Do you struggle with taking your eyes off Jesus and looking at others/circumstances? How does this happen to you?
5. Who do you identify with more – Peter/Nehemiah or John/Ezra?
6. What does it mean for you to be who God created you to be?
7. How is God using you right now for His purposes?
8. What are your reactions to Psalm 139:1-18?