

**“Set Free”**  
Ephesians 1:7,8a

1. The Father has \_\_\_\_\_ your future in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Eph. 1:4-6)

This includes:

Being \_\_\_\_\_ into God’s family (Eph. 1:5).

2. Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ for your blessings (Eph. 1:7,8a; Deut. 5:12-15).

This includes:

Jesus removing the pain and damage \_\_\_\_\_ sins  
have caused \_\_\_\_\_ and have caused \_\_\_\_\_  
(Isa. 25:8; 35:10; 65:17).

Jesus removing the pain and damage that the sins of  
\_\_\_\_\_ have caused \_\_\_\_\_ (Rev. 21:4,5;  
Isa. 65:17).

**Discussion Questions**

1. Which would you rather be: a slave or a slave owner? Why?
2. Why do you think the Bible (Rom. 5:17) uses the word “slave” to refer to our relationship to sin?
3. For most Americans, the most expensive thing they will ever buy is a car or a house. But the most expensive thing Jesus ever bought was you! Read 1 Cor. 6:20. How should you respond to Christ’s action toward you? Please give specific examples of how to apply what is being said here.
4. Which do you feel worse about, the sins you have committed, or the sins others have committed against you? Why?
5. Read Deut. 5:12-15 and talk about why what is commanded here would be so revolutionary in the slave culture of that day. Now discuss how such a practice would affect both slave and slave owner, first in the Jewish culture, but secondly, in the pagan cultures that observed this practice.
6. Spend some time reflecting upon, and discussing, what a world without sin, pain, regret, bitterness, and hurt would look and feel like.



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