

FREEDOM FROM FEAR

It's important that God's Word continues after the message. At Celebrate, we find that you will quite often talk over this week's message long after our experience is over. That's because God has impact. The Sermon Discussion Guide is designed to help you continue the conversation all week.

In *John 6:16-19* we see Jesus' disciples rowing across the sea when a storm arose. When they saw Jesus walking on the water toward them they became afraid.

Discuss what you believe are some of people's biggest fears.

Do you believe God commands us not to live in fear? What are the fears that hold you back?

John 6:20; Joshua 1:6-9; Isaiah 41:10

Why is it important that we don't dwell on our fears, but rather fill our hearts and minds with positive thoughts from God's Word?

Job 3:25-26; Romans 8:6; Philippians 4:6-8

How has God given us the ability to live free from fear?

Galatians 1:3-5; Hebrews 2:14-15; Romans 8:2

Since God has already delivered us from fear through Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit, how do we fill our hearts and minds with God's Word to overcome fear?

2 Timothy 1:7; Ephesians 6:10-16; 1 John 4:18

What's Next

- No matter what culture says, believe God wants you to live free from fear.
- Understand that a strong relationship with God will free you from fear.
- Fill your heart and mind with God's word and meditate on His promises when you are tempted to live in fear.
- Live by faith, not fear, letting your thoughts, your words, and your actions come into accordance with God's Word, not how you feel.