

***Forgiven & Freed***  
**John 8:2-11**

**John 8:2 (NASB)**

***<sup>2</sup> And early in the morning He came again into the temple area, and all the people were coming to Him; and He sat down and began teaching them.***

**John 8:3-6a (NASB)**

***<sup>3</sup> Now the scribes and the Pharisees \*brought a woman caught in the act of adultery, and after placing her in the center of the courtyard, <sup>4</sup> they \*said to Him, "Teacher, this woman has been caught in the very act of committing adultery. <sup>5</sup> Now in the Law, Moses commanded us to stone such women; what then do You say?" <sup>6</sup> Now they were saying this to test Him, so that they might have grounds for accusing Him.***

**A RELIGIOUS SPIRIT CAN HURT REAL PEOPLE**

**John 8:6b (NASB)**

***But Jesus stooped down and with His finger wrote on the ground.***

**JESUS IS STILL WRITING STORIES WITH HIS DIVINE HANDS**

**John 8:7-8 (NASB)**

***<sup>7</sup> When they persisted in asking Him, He straightened up and said to them, "He who is without sin among you, let him be the first to throw a stone at her." <sup>8</sup> And again He stooped down and wrote on the ground.***

**BEFORE YOU FOCUS ON OTHER PEOPLE'S BROKENNESS, BE AWARE OF YOUR OWN**

**John 8:9 (NASB)**

***Now when they heard this, they began leaving, one by one, beginning with the older ones, and He was left alone, and the woman where she was, in the center of the courtyard.***

**NEVER BE AFRAID OF BEING ALONE WITH JESUS**

**John 8:10-11 (NASB)**

***<sup>10</sup> And straightening up, Jesus said to her, "Woman, where are they? Did no one condemn you?" <sup>11</sup> She said, "No one, Lord." And Jesus said, "I do not condemn you, either. Go. From now on do not sin any longer."***

**JESUS IS STILL OFFERING PEOPLE REAL FORGIVENESS & TRUE FREEDOM**