

JULY 3, 2016 SERMON NOTES
Freedom for all!

I. Free in Christ.

A. Jesus offers us _____.

John 8: ³⁰ *As He spoke these things, many came to believe in Him.* ³¹ *So Jesus was saying to those Jews who had believed Him, “If you continue in My word, then you are truly disciples of Mine; ³² and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free.*

³³ *They answered Him, “We are Abraham’s descendants and have never yet been enslaved to anyone; how is it that You say, ‘You will become free’?”*

Jesus said all of us are slaves: we are not _____!

³⁴ *Jesus answered them, “Truly, truly, I say to you, everyone who commits sin is the slave of sin.*

B. We are either slaves to _____.

Romans 6: ¹⁶ *Do you not know that when you present yourselves to someone as slaves for obedience, you are slaves of the one whom you obey, either of sin resulting in death, or of obedience resulting in righteousness?*

If you decided to be a slave to God you go where He

_____.

Simply because we are no longer slaves to sin does not mean that we _____.

I John 2: ¹ *“My dear children, I write this to you so that you will not sin. But if anybody does sin, we have one who speaks to the Father in our defense— Jesus Christ, the Righteous One.”*

Romans 6: ³ *Or do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus have been baptized into His death? ⁴ Therefore we have been buried with Him through baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life. ⁵ For if we have become united with Him in the likeness of His death, certainly we shall also be in the likeness of His resurrection, ⁶ knowing this, that our old self was crucified with Him, in order that our body of sin might be done away with, so that we would no longer be slaves to sin; ⁷ for he who has died is freed from sin.*

Question: how free are you?