



Life Group Questions

Free Indeed

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Key Scriptures:

Luke 4:14-21

1. Share one of life's embarrassing experiences that you can laugh about now.
2. Read Luke 4:14-21 and Isaiah 61:1-2. How does being poor, in prison, blind, and held down relate to any person's **spiritual** condition? In what areas can you relate in your own story? In what ways have you been holding back or felt held back from full freedom?
3. Read Isaiah 61:7-11. Make a list together of all the things that God offers us in place of our shame because of the finished work of Jesus. Which of these do you want to experience more in your life?
4. Read 2 Samuel 22:20, Job 36:16, Psalm 18:19 and 118:5-7. Discuss what the Bible says about the concept of a spacious place, and how it differs from what Satan wants us to experience as we try to follow Jesus -- think about the opposite of these "spacious place" truths that you are leaving behind.
5. If your group is mixed men and women, separate for prayer time. What parts of your soul need to come out into full freedom? Where do you still struggle with guilt, shame or injustice – when do you find yourself hiding or covering or blaming that is like a retreat back towards prison? Confess these and claim the truth that sets you free: If the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed! Thank God for abundant life in a spacious place.