

A Bondage Must Be Broken (Mark 10) Sunday, April 10, 2022 AVBC 10:30 am

The sins of the wicked are a trap. They get caught in the net of their own sin. (Proverbs 5:22) (GNT)

Jesus replied, "I assure you that everyone who sins is a slave of sin. A slave is not a permanent member of the family, but a son is part of the family forever. So if the Son sets you free, you will indeed be free." (John 8:34-36) (NLT)

-Luke 4:18-19

Q1: WHAT HAPPENED?	A:
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LUO = to loosen, to untie, to unbind, to set free

-John 11:44, Luke 1:64

Q2: HOW DID IT HAPPEN? A:

LUTRON = the means by which something or someone is set free

I will sing of my Redeemer, And His wondrous love for me...On the cruel cross He suffered, From the curse to set me free.

Sing, O sing, of my Redeemer, With His blood He purchased me, On the cross He sealed my pardon, Paid the debt and made me free!

Q: what does is mean to "redeem" something?
1. to rescue or deliver from
2. to regain possession of by
-Colossians 1:9-14
-I Peter 1:13-19
Q3: WHO MADE IT HAPPEN? A:
LUTROTES- the one who pays the ransom or price of redemption
In Him (Jesus) we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins (Ephesians 1:7a)
-Revelation 5:9

DIGGING DEEPER

(For use in personal/family devotions or with your care group)

- Q1: Have you ever been in a situation where you felt trapped or unable to escape? How did you feel? How about when you were set free?
- Q2: Study Exodus 23:31-33. God's people were warned not to be ensnared by the culture around them? What societal "snares" are Christians sometimes getting caught in today?
- Q3: Read Ephesians 2:1-9. What do these verse teach you about both bondage and freedom?
- Q4: Is there one specific area of your walk with Jesus where you have transitioned from bondage to freedom? If so, describe.
- Q5: Study Colossians 1:13-14. What are some of the attributes of the dominion of darkness? How about the kingdom of light? Which one stands out as most important to you? Why?

Q6: In what sense did God "buy us back"?

Take some time to watch/listen to the YouTube video by Andrew Peterson- IS HE WORTHY?