

Sermon Recap & Discussion Questions

Sermon Recap:

I. Servitude to Sin (6)

God offers us rescue from servitude to sin.

A. Liberation:

God has mercy for his image-bearers and will always move against oppressive powers that dehumanize those who bear his image.

B. Redemption:

Jesus came to earth to become our kinsman-redeemer.

II. Freedom through Service (7-8)

Your past bondage to sin does not disqualify you from serving in God's kingdom.

A. Adoption:

God adopts us into his family and fully identifies with us as our Father.

B. Possession:

God liberates and redeems us so we can live in an infinitely better country.

Discussion Questions

1. Why does God rescue his people from servitude to sin?
2. What does it mean that Jesus is our kinsman-redeemer? In what way has he now made us kinsman-redeemers as well?
3. What does it mean to be adopted into God's family?

Going Deeper

1. Are there any sins - personal or committed against you - that you need to cry out to God for liberation from?
2. Are there any ways in which you view past or present sins as a reason to disqualify you from serving God's kingdom? How does the gospel free you from such a belief?