

# Key Words of the Christian Life

***Redemption: Set Free From Bondage***  
***Ephesians 1:7***

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# Redemption: Set Free From Bondage

## Outline for this session:

### **10. Redemption: Set Free From Bondage**

- A. Bondage to Sin**
- B. Bondage to the Old Life**
- C. Bondage to the Law**
- D. Bondage to Bodies of Sin**

# Redemption

## Definition:

**“to purchase and set free by paying a price”**

***“In him we have redemption through his blood...” Ephesians 1:7***

## A. Bondage to Sin

**Titus 2:11-14....*“For the grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all men. <sup>12</sup> It teaches us to say “No” to ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright and godly lives in this present age, <sup>13</sup> while we wait for the blessed hope—the glorious appearing of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ, <sup>14</sup> who gave himself for us to redeem us from all wickedness and to purify for himself a people that are his very own, eager to do what is good.”***

# A. Bondage to Sin

## Deceitfulness of Satan and sin:

- Sin promises **freedom**, but brings **slavery**
- Sin promises **joy**, but brings **pain**
- Sin promises **success**, but ultimately brings **failure**

## A. Bondage to Sin

**Remember the Prodigal Son??**

***Titus 3:3 “At one time we too were foolish, disobedient, deceived and enslaved by all kinds of passions and pleasures. We lived in malice and envy, being hated and hating one another.”***

## B. Bondage to the Old Life

**1 Peter 1:18-19 “For you know that it was not with perishable things such as silver or gold that you were redeemed from the empty way of life handed down to you from your forefathers, <sup>19</sup> but with the precious blood of Christ, a lamb without blemish or defect.”**

## B. Bondage to the Old Life

**Ephesians 5:15-16 says “*Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, <sup>16</sup> making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil...*”**

**As followers of Christ, the old has gone, and the new has come.**

## C. Bondage to the Law

**Galatians 3:13 says “Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us, for it is written: “Cursed is everyone who is hung on a tree.”**

**Galatians 4:4-5 ...“But when the time had fully come, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born under law, <sup>5</sup> to redeem those under law, that we might receive the full rights of sons.”**

## D. Bondage to Bodies of Sin

**Philippians 3:20-21** says ***“But our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Savior from there, the Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>21</sup> who, by the power that enables him to bring everything under his control, will transform our lowly bodies so that they will be like his glorious body.”***

## D. Bondage to Bodies of Sin

**Colossians 1:13-14** says ***“For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, <sup>14</sup> in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.”***

**We are redeemed, we are free indeed!**