

HOMECELL NOTES

THE GIFT OF FREEDOM PT 4: LIVING IN FREEDOM

28 JULY 2024

WELCOME

Welcome all members who are joining the Homecell whether online or physical.
If HC is on Zoom only - do an Icebreaker on WhatsApp ± 15 minutes before Zoom cell.
If HC is physical – do an Icebreaker for approx. 10 minutes at start of HC.

WORSHIP

If HC is physical -1 Praise & 2 Worship. This will create the right atmosphere for your time together. End Worship 2 in prayer.
If ZOOM only - Challenge cell members to spend a few minutes in Worship before your ZOOM/Online Homecell starts.

WORD

Galatians 5:1

It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery.

Q: On Sunday Ps Aidan said that this freedom is received because of what Jesus has done for you. What are these gifts that we are given?

- The gift of righteousness
- The gift of salvation
- The gift of the Holy Spirit
- The gift of freedom

“Freedom is not because of my accomplishments BUT His Accomplishment!”
Pastor Aidan Jeffery

Ask a HC member to read John 8:36 KJV.

Q: The enemy accuses Believers into thinking that they are unworthy of the gift. According to this Scripture verse, what are your thoughts on this?

- Your salvation is not a Monopoly, a gamble, or a game – you can't lose it.
- You do not pay anything to receive it.
- Your salvation is permanent.
- Your salvation is assured.
- Your salvation is eternal.
- You have to STAND FIRM in your freedom.
- You must WALK FREELY in your freedom.
- Ultimately, you must LIVE in your freedom.

Ask HC members to read Acts 17:28-29 AMP

Q: As Believers, how should you link physical attributes to your freedom in Christ?

- You live in the Truth of the gift of freedom.
- You should not attach physical attributes to your freedom.
- Possessions such as houses and cars are not an indication that some people's gifts are more valuable.

Ask HC members to read Philippians 4:12 NIV and 1 Timothy 6:6-7 ASV

Q: What do you understand by “Living in freedom”?

- Living in freedom is a state of contentment.
- Living in freedom is not a state of achievement.
- Living in freedom is living in rest, not stress.
- Living in freedom is living authentically, not hypocritically.
- It is not a call for perfection but a journey to wholeness.

Ask HC members to read Matthew 6:25-27 BSB, Romans 2:4 RSV and Romans 6:16 AMP.

Q: “Living in freedom” is a daily choice. How do we achieve this?

- Do not keep going back to the self-imposed and self-inflicted prison.
- Stop the comparison, down-talk, and “I can’t” talk.
- Be led by the Spirit of God.
- Do not be led by your emotions and feelings.
- Do not be swayed by others – their actions and opinions.
- God gave us the freedom to choose. Chose Freedom in Him.
- You are the slave to whom or what you obey, so do not fall victim to the accusations of the enemy.

WORKS

1. **PRAYER** - Take time to pray for (1) lost & prodigals on your prayer or target lists (2) One another (lay hands 1-1 or groups of 2-3)
2. **CARE** - As a HC, identify urgent needs (among people in your immediate world) - food needs, people who are staying alone, marriage challenges, financial needs, business, career, employment needs, emotional needs etc.). How can we meet those needs?
3. **DISCIPLESHIP** - Equip HC in Basic Doctrine (Water Baptism, Tongues, Serving, Giving, Honour, Vision)
4. **EVANGELISM** - Equip HC in reaching their world (Build relationship with Oikos, Identify Man of Peace, Share Your Verbal Witness, Invite to Church & HC)

NB* When there are First Time Visitors - ALTARCALL - The main reason for having homecell is to get people saved! #WinTheLostAtAnyCost

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