

Chain Breaker
Outline - October 29, 2023

Staying Unchained

2 Peter 2:17-22, Galatians 5:1, Psalm 34:8

Forces working against us:

The world want's to keep us in chains

Satan Wants to keep us in chains

We want to stay in our own chains (Romans 7:15-20) - *Homeostasis*

God wants you to be free (Galatians 5:1) - *Set Free for Freedom's sake*

Freedom is Difficult after Domestication

Animals bread or kept in captivity struggle to survive when released into the wild

Slaves set free often have a difficult time learning how to actually be free

Sin Domesticates our Souls

Why we pick up our chains again?

Have not received pardon

Pleasures of sin

Weakness of faith

Self-reliance

Foolish with our freedom

How we stay unchained?

Submit to God

Resist the Devil

Flee our flesh

Acknowledge blessing

Christian Community

Can I return if I walk away

Repent

Refocus

Restructure

Rejoice

Remember

We have something worth not turning from:

Forgiveness for sin

Restoration to Righteousness

God's Comfort

True Freedom

Psalm 34:8 Taste and see that the LORD is good;
blessed is the one who takes refuge in him!