

BREAKING THE CHAINS OF BONDAGE



List things, people, interests, endeavors that might hold too much control over you at this time in your life:

Break Every Chain Agenda for 3/17/21

Opening

- 1) Listen to the song “Break Every Chain”



Break Every Chain

Song by Tasha Cobbs

Overview

Listen

Lyrics

Yeah
Let's say it together

There is power in the name of Jesus
There is power in the name of Jesus
Say there is power in the name of Jesus (come on)
To break every chain, break every chain, break every chain (yeah)
To break every chain, break every chain, break every chain
(Let's say it together, there is power)

There is power in the name of Jesus (you got it)
There is power in the name of Jesus
There is power in the name of Jesus (yeah)
To break every chain, break every chain, break every chain
(Declare it, say)
To break every chain, break every chain, break every chain
(Now somebody lift your hands in the air right here)

- 2) Priscilla Shirer Opening and List exercise pg 9 and pg 10

Breathe: Making Room for the Sabbath by Priscilla Shirer



- 3) Opening Bible Passage

Romans 6:13-23 (Emphasis on verses 22-23)

13 Do not offer any part of yourself to sin as an instrument of wickedness, but rather offer yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life; and offer every part of yourself to him as an instrument of righteousness.

14 For sin shall no longer be your master, because you are not under the law, but under grace.

Slaves to Righteousness

15 What then? Shall we sin because we are not under the law but under grace? By no means! **16** Don't you know that when you offer yourselves to someone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one you obey—whether you are slaves to sin, which leads to death, or to obedience, which leads to righteousness? **17** But thanks be to God that, though you used to be slaves to sin, you have come to obey from your heart the pattern of teaching that has now claimed your allegiance. **18** You have been set free from sin and have become slaves to righteousness.

19 I am using an example from everyday life because of your human limitations. Just as you used to offer yourselves as slaves to impurity and to ever-increasing wickedness, so now offer yourselves as slaves to righteousness leading to holiness. **20** When you were slaves to sin, you were free from the control of righteousness. **21** What benefit did you reap at that time from the things you are now ashamed of? Those things result in death! **22** But now that you have been set free from sin and have become slaves of God, the benefit you reap leads to holiness, and the result is eternal life. **23** For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in^{at} Christ Jesus our Lord.



Work Session

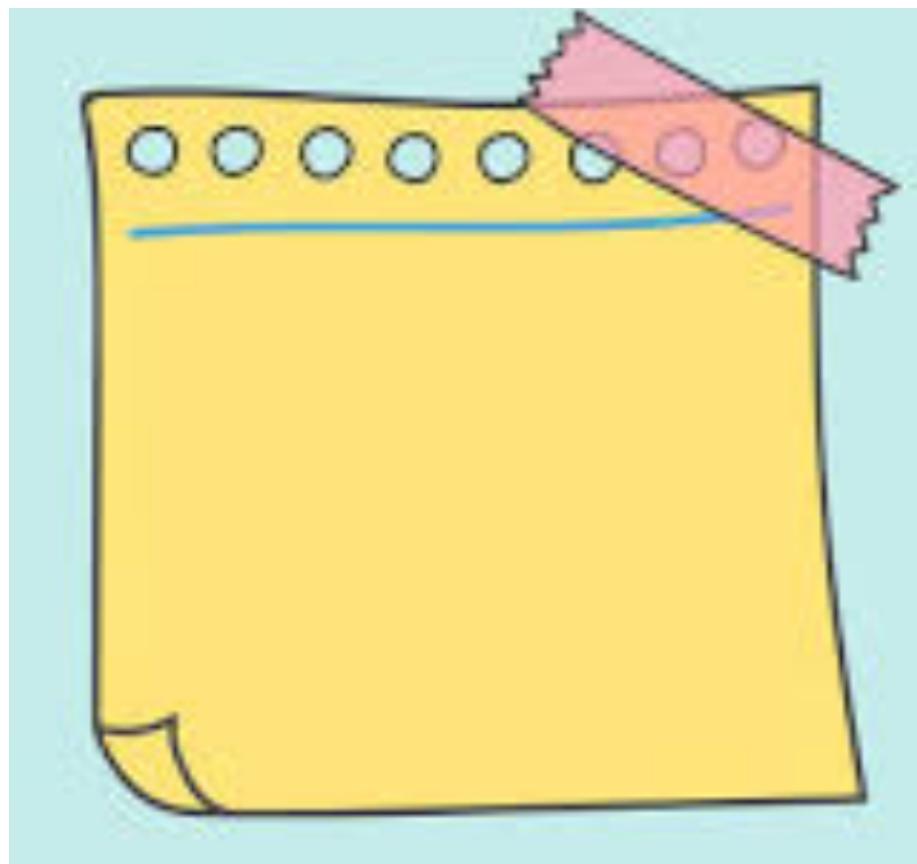
- 1) Our main passage for this evening is about Peter who God frees from prison by sending an angel to free him the night before his scheduled execution. (**Acts 12:5-8**) **Take Notes Over the Story Below**

Acts 12:5-8 ✓ New International Version ✓

5 So Peter was kept in prison, but the church was earnestly praying to God for him.

6 The night before Herod was to bring him to trial, Peter was sleeping between two soldiers, bound with two chains, and sentries stood guard at the entrance. **7** Suddenly an angel of the Lord appeared and a light shone in the cell. He struck Peter on the side and woke him up. "Quick, get up!" he said, and the chains fell off Peter's wrists.

8 Then the angel said to him, "Put on your clothes and sandals." And Peter did so. "Wrap your cloak around you and follow me," the angel told him.



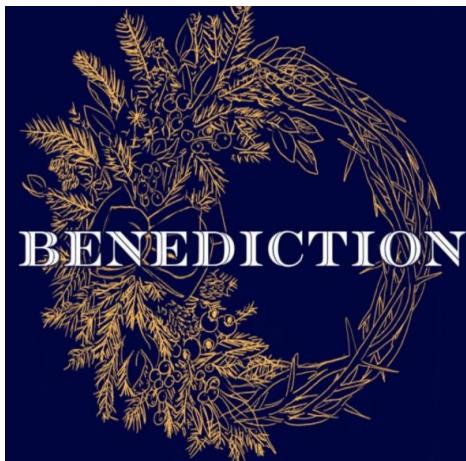
2)Prison Break Coloring Sheet

Closing Benediction (Prayer)

“Chainbreaker” by Zach Williams

If you've got pain

He's a pain taker



If you feel lost

He's a way maker

If you need freedom or saving

He's a prison-shaking Savior

If you've got chains

He's a chain breaker