



Be Free Week 5 - Rescue to Restore

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// **Bible References:** Gal 5:1, 25; Eph 6:10-13; James 2:14-19; Matt 18:6; 2 Corinthians 3:17

// **Community Question:** Share the best costume you saw this year.

// Discussion Questions

1. Jim described “Outposts of Freedom” as places where people can experience Christ’s love and truth, through Flatirons campuses and through everyday Christians living out their faith beyond the church walls. As followers of Jesus, we’re called to be “*pioneers of freedom*”, people living on mission to care for the outpost and to carry His love into new spaces where others can encounter His grace and truth through us. How can you create intentional margin in your life (through your time, talents, and resources) so that as you go, whether at home, work, or in your relationships, others can experience the love and freedom of Jesus through you?
2. We heard that “*Develop to Deploy*” is a lifelong journey of discipleship, learning to know Jesus deeply, being equipped through Scripture and community, and stepping out to live that faith through service, marriage, parenting, work, and relationships. What steps are you currently taking to develop yourself spiritually, and how are you deploying what you’ve learned in your everyday life? If you’re not sure where to start, what’s one small thing you could begin this week to grow and live out your faith?
3. The sermon references *2 Corinthians 3:17*: “Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom”, reminding us that the fight against injustice starts with the Spirit working in us before it flows through us. How is the Holy Spirit stirring your heart to see and respond to the brokenness around you? What might it look like to pray, listen, or stay spiritually aware of the needs in your community this week?
4. **GOING DEEPER:** Read *James 2:14–19*. Jim reminded us that spiritual growth means nothing if it doesn’t move us to act on behalf of others. What specific steps can you take to actively protect, serve, or support vulnerable people in your community? How could your group join together to make an impact?

// **Challenge:** Jim encouraged us to think about the eternal and community legacy we’ll leave by being part of Flatirons. This week, take a few minutes to visit www.befreecolorado.com/next-steps and explore how you can get involved (whether through prayer, serving, generosity, or taking your next step of faith). Ask God to show you what part of His story of freedom He’s inviting you to help write.