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Frozen or Free?

The Prison of _____

¹¹ This is what the LORD said with his powerful hand on me. He warned me not to follow the ways of these people: ¹²“Don't say that everything these people call a conspiracy is a conspiracy. Don't fear what they fear. Don't let it terrify you.”

Isaiah 8:11-12 (GW)

God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control.

2 Timothy 1:7 (ESV)

The Illusion of _____

“No right, no wrong, no rules for me ... I'm free”

For you have been called to live in freedom, my brothers and sisters. But don't use your freedom to satisfy your sinful nature. Instead, use your freedom to serve one another in love.

Galatians 5:13 (NLT)

The Power of _____

⁷ Dear friends, let us continue to love one another, for love

comes from God. Anyone who loves is a child of God and knows God. ⁸ But anyone who does not love does not know God, for God is love. ⁹ God showed how much he loved us by sending his one and only Son into the world so that we might have eternal life through him. ¹⁰ This is real love—not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as a sacrifice to take away our sins. ¹¹ Dear friends, since God loved us that much, we surely ought to love each other.

1 John 4:7-11 (NLT)

¹² This is my commandment: Love each other in the same way I have loved you. ¹³ There is no greater love than to lay down one's life for one's friends.

John 15:12-13 (NLT)

¹⁶ We know how much God loves us, and we have put our trust in his love. God is love, and all who live in love live in God, and God lives in them. ¹⁷ And as we live in God, our love grows more perfect. So we will not be afraid on the day of judgment, but we can face him with confidence because we live like Jesus here in this world. ¹⁸ Such love has no fear, because perfect love expels all fear. If we are afraid, it is for fear of punishment, and this shows that we have not fully experienced his perfect love.

1 John 4:16-18 (NLT)

My Next Step Today Is To...

- Surrender to God's love by repenting of my sin and receiving Him as my Lord and Savior.
- Ask God to show me anywhere in my life where I am living in fear or false freedom and give that area to His control.
- Daily live deeper in my walk with God so that my love for Him and others may grow more perfect.
- Memorize and/or meditate on 2 Timothy 1:7