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www.youtube.com/watch?v=FPCMNxiR3Gs

Rescue those being led away to death; hold back those staggering toward slaughter. **Proverbs 24:11 (NIV)**

FMC DNA

Freedom from _____ is at the core of what it means to be a Free Methodist.

Modern Day Slavery

www.youtube.com/watch?v=dqCSgCDGNT8

1. The average cost of a slave in 2013 was between \$90 and \$100
2. In most regions, 80% of trafficking involves sexual exploitation
3. The remaining 20% is generally for labor exploitation
4. The number of slaves on Earth today is estimated between 20 and 30 million
5. Nearly 1 million of them are moved across an international border every year on the black market
6. 70% of those slaves are female
7. 50% are children
8. Behind drugs and weapons, human trafficking is the third largest international crime industry in the world
9. It generates approximately \$33 billion every year
10. Over half of that comes from industrialized countries
11. Even for purposes of labor exploitation, women still constitute over half of Earth's enslaved population
12. Organ harvesting is another seldom mentioned but quickly growing industry that benefits from human trafficking

13. An estimated 30,000 victims of sex trafficking die each year from abuse, disease, torture, and neglect
14. Eighty percent of those sold into sexual slavery are under 24, and some are as young as six years old
15. Ludwig "Tarzan" Fainberg, a convicted trafficker, said, "You can buy a woman for \$10,000 and make your money back in a week if she is pretty and young. Then everything else is profit"
16. A 2003 study in the Netherlands found that, on average, a single sex slave earned her pimp at least \$250,000 a year
17. A human trafficker can earn 20 times what he or she paid for a girl. Provided the girl was not physically brutalized to the point of ruining her beauty, the pimp could sell her again for a greater price because he had trained her and broken her spirit, which saves future buyers the hassle
18. The end of the Cold War has resulted in the growth of regional conflicts and the decline of borders. Many rebel groups turn to human trafficking to fund military actions and garner soldiers.
19. According to a 2009 Washington Times article, the Taliban buys children as young as seven years old to act as suicide bombers.
20. The price for child suicide bombers is between \$7,000-\$14,000
21. UNICEF estimates that 300,000 children younger than 18 are currently trafficked to serve in armed conflicts worldwide
22. Babies are sold on the black market, where the profit is divided between the traffickers, doctors, lawyers, border officials, and others.
23. Researchers argue that as the economic crisis deepens, the number of people trafficked for forced labor will increase.
24. Human trafficking is one of the fastest growing criminal enterprises because it holds relatively low risk with high profit potential. Criminal organizations are increasingly attracted to human trafficking because, unlike drugs, humans can be sold repeatedly
25. There are more slaves in the world today than ever before in history

Slavery in America

www.youtube.com/watch?v=0r3UT0qHhOM

One survivor's story:

www.youtube.com/watch?v=FPY9ITWuf7E

"I made a covenant with my eyes not to look with **lust** at a young woman. **Job 31:1 (NLT)**

Fighting slavery by not _____
in the industries that profit from it.

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| 1. Coffee | 7. Diamonds |
| 2. Chocolate | 8. Shrimp |
| 3. Clothing | 9. Carpet |
| 4. Electronics | 10. Palm Oil |
| 5. Counterfeit
handbags | 11. Cannabis |
| 6. Rubber | 12. Pornography |

My Next Step Today Is To...

- Accept Jesus into my life as Savior and Lord.
- Take a stand against slavery for sexual exploitation by making a covenant not to look with lust upon another.
- Sponsor a child thru ICCM
 - www.youtube.com/watch?v=XSi6ggLJkEs
- Talk with others about the issues, lifestyle changes, and action steps by declaring "I am an abolitionist!!"
- Support the Eden Reforestation Project
 - www.youtube.com/watch?v=P8tqyBGihBA
- Meditate and/or memorize Proverbs 24:11
- Visit www.free2work.org/ and prayerfully consider one product change I will make to stop financially supporting slavery.