

Freedom Class Week 3 – The Tree of Life

Opening Prayer Discussion of Week 3 materials

- Why is the desire for knowledge often in direct opposition to the desire to trust?
- As you reflect back on your past week, were there times that you found yourself partnering with shame or victimization? What opened the door to that, and are there some concrete things that are helping you to move back into “tree of life” thinking?
- Take turns reading out loud page 26 from the lesson this week.
- The book outlined 4 things that can be the fruit from living in the Tree of Life:
 - Fellowship with God
 - Fellowship with God results in INNOCENCE
 - Innocence is a conduit for God’s POWER
 - Innocence results in FREEDOM
- What spoke to you or lifted for you from these sections?
- How did you answer the questions on page 32 – Do I feel innocent before God? What would it be like to have true fellowship with God?
- Why do you think there is a correlation between Innocence, power and freedom?

Optional 15 minutes - Leif Hetland Video – Slaves or Sons

Discussion

- What lifted for you from Leif’s testimony?
- What are some things in our culture that have made experiencing the Father’s love challenging?
- Can you remember a time where you have had a significant experience of God’s love for you? If so, are you willing to share about that?

Optional – Journaling and Soaking Music or Practice of Being Known

Sit with the Lord and ask Him this question: Father, how do you love me?

If you are having trouble hearing, take one of the verses from this week’s lesson and rewrite it, personalizing it with your name in it. Meditate on God’s love for you.

Homework – Ask the Lord each night before bed: When did I feel your love today? When did I feel an absence of your love?