

SLAVE MARKET OF SIN

1. Because of procreation we come into the world spiritually dead.
 - A. Romans 5:12, "Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned."
2. There are three categories in the human race.
 - A. Immoral:
 1. Romans 1:18-32.
 - B. Moral:
 1. Romans 2:1-16.
 - C. Religious:
 1. Romans 2:17-29, 4:4.
3. All three categories have sinned and come short of the glory of God.
4. All are born in the slave market of sin.
 - A. John 8:34, 35, "And Jesus answered them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, Whosoever committeth sin is the slave of sin. And the slave abideth not in the house forever: but the Son abideth ever."
 - B. Galatians 3:31: The law could not get one out of the slave market of sin.
5. Only a free man can free a slave.
 - A. Only Jesus Christ was born free from sin, without an old sin nature and did not commit personal sin.
 1. 2 Corinthians 5:21, "For He hath made Him to be sin for us, Who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in Him."
 2. Why? Virgin birth. The old sin nature is passed down by the father.
 - a. Psalm 51:5, "Behold, I was shapen in iniquity; and in sin did my mother conceive me."
 3. Jesus Christ had no human father.
 - a. Matthew 1:20, "But while he thought on these things, behold, the Angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a dream, saying, Joseph, thou son of David, fear not to take unto thee Mary thy wife: for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Spirit."
 4. Therefore, He had no old sin nature and was a free man, not born in the slave market of sin.
6. The Lord Jesus Christ bought us, paid the price, from the slave market of sin.
 - A. 1 Peter 1:18, 19, "Redeemed with the precious blood of Christ."
 - B. 1 Corinthians 6:20, "Ye are bought with a price."
7. This freedom, from the slave market of sin, and from debt is dependent upon the exercise of an individual's positive volition. The gate has been removed.
8. There is only one way out of the slave market of sin,
 - A. John 14:6, "I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life, no man cometh unto the Father, but by Me."
 - B. John 8:36, "If the Son therefore shall make you free, you shall be free indeed."
9. THE ISSUE: What are you going to do with the Lord Jesus Christ?