

## If Freedom Was a Person

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**John 8: 31-36** (KJV)

<sup>31</sup> Then said Jesus to those Jews which believed on him, If ye continue in my word, then are ye my disciples indeed;

<sup>32</sup> And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.

<sup>33</sup> They answered him, We be Abraham's seed, and were never in bondage to any man: how sayest thou, Ye shall be made free?

<sup>34</sup> Jesus answered them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, Whosoever committeth sin is the servant of sin.

<sup>35</sup> And the servant abideth not in the house for ever: but the Son abideth ever.

<sup>36</sup> If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed.

**Embodiment:** A tangible or visible form of an idea, quality or feeling.

- As people of God, our responsibility in this life is to always be \_\_\_\_\_ of what we are embodying.
- We have a **choice** to what we house in our spirit.
- We house what we \_\_\_\_\_.

**Matthew 15:11** (NIV)- What goes into someone's mouth does not defile them, but what comes out of their mouth, that is what defiles them.

- You are always going to \_\_\_\_\_ your \_\_\_\_\_.
- How many God I-Ams do you have?
- For some of us, our relationship with God is limited because we don't want to receive him for **WHO HE IS**; we want to receive him for who we want him to be.
- When you become a disciple, you are allowing Jesus to change your **identity**.

**Self-Check:** Have I really been changing since I have been walking with God?

- You have to see your need for \_\_\_\_\_.
- Real \_\_\_\_\_ comes from a changed \_\_\_\_\_.