

Set Free – Part II:
Set Free to Serve
Sunday Morning, September 24, 2017

Galatians 5:1, 13

Matthew 25:40

The more we are free from _____, _____,
the more we are free to _____.

Keep in mind that freedom in Christ is not a freedom
toward “_____ - _____”. Rather, the
_____ of loving _____ is the truest mark
and _____ of Christian freedom.

“The road to holiness necessarily passes through the world of action.”
Dag Hammarskjöld, Secretary-General of the United Nations from 1953 to 1961 said,

I Thessalonians 1: 6 – 9

How great of a Christian do we want to be? _____

Matthew 20: 26 – 28

The key to being “great Christians” in God’s eyes is
_____ by how great our _____ is to
_____! Beginning with _____ to our
Church family, then out in to the community and then
out in to the world.



In the comic strip “Peanuts”, Lucy is often the poster child for a self-indulgent philosophy. In reading a book to Lucy, Linus says, *“It says here that the world revolves around the sun once a year.”* Lucy replies, *“The world revolves around the sun?? Are you sure? I thought it revolved around me.”*

“There are just two things about my uniform that I want to tell you about. They are my two brass buttons on the lapels of my jacket; “S...S.” As he put his thumb under his right lapel, he said, “This ‘S’ stands for saved. I have been saved by Jesus Christ.” Then he placed his thumb under his left lapel and said, “This ‘S’ stands for serve. It lets the world know that I have been saved for one purpose and one purpose only, and that is to serve.” Then with a note of seriousness he said, “Quite frankly, folks, I grow very weary of some of my Christian brothers and sisters who are always talking about the brass button on the right and do not have a clue what the button on the left is all about.”



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Finally, let each one of us think about how we have been “set-free” in Christ to serve others the way Jesus did. It begins here among us and reaches into eternity!