

NOTES

Scripture Refs

2 Pet. 2:1, 8-10, 17, 19-22; Dan. 7:8; Rev. 13; 2 Tim. 3:13;
Matt. 11:20-24; 15:14; 26:24; Rom. 6:6, 13-14; 12:21; John 8:34; Gen. 4:7;
Gal. 1:4; Jas. 1:27; 1 John 2:16; Luke 12:48; 1 Cor. 3:5; 1 Pet. 2:16, 24; 3:15;
Prov. 26:11

Reflection & Discussion

1. Peter speaks of false teachers promising freedom, yet their doctrines lead to enslavement:
 - a. Where in the Bible do we find this happening?
 - b. What are modern-day examples of doctrines promising something, but delivering another?
 - c. Have you had any personal experiences with false teachers? How did you know? What did you do in response?

2. Believers are called to be *slaves of righteousness*:
 - a. How do you define that term?
 - b. Who, in the Bible, are your primary role-models for such living?
 - c. What are practical ways Christians can ensure that they’re living as slaves of righteousness?

3. “To whom much is given, much is required” is a common theme in the Bible:
 - a. Why does God hold people more accountable as they’re exposed to greater truth?
 - b. What are the *positive consequences* of living up to this principle? What are the *negative consequences* when we don’t?