

TORAH IS LIBERTY

- Finding the Ancient Path
- A Teaching on freedom, obedience, and the written Word

Why This Teaching?

- Concluding a three-part series
- Challenge inherited assumptions and traditions
- Return to the question: Where is it written?

The Central Distinction

- Salvation is by grace through faith
- Torah is presented as the redeemed person's way of life
- Obedience is not presented as a way to earn salvation

What Is Liberty?

- Clarity rather than competing human requirements
- Confidence in the written Word
- Freedom to walk in Yahovah's ways

Reconsidering “Bondage”

- Galatians 2:4 - pressure to meet prerequisites
- Galatians 4:3, 8-11 - elements of the world
- Galatians 5:1 - read the yoke in context

The Fear of Death

- Hebrews 2:15
- The Teaching links bondage to fear and reliance on works
- Messiah frees believers from sin's penalty

The Risk of New Golden Calves

- Leaving one set of traditions is not enough
- Personal practices can become imposed rules
- Do not add hedges to Scripture

Yeshua and Human Tradition

- Mark 7:1-13
- Distinguish commandments from traditions of elders
- Examine whether added rules are treated as holiness

Faultfinding Versus Testing

- Test teachings against Scripture
- Do not make criticism your ministry
- Begin with self-examination: Matthew 7:3-5

Psalm 119: Liberty and Delight

- Psalm 119:44-45 - walk at liberty
- Psalm 119:35, 97 - delight and meditation
- Psalm 119:165 - great peace

Other Scriptures of Freedom

- Deuteronomy 4:1; 6:24 - life and good
- Proverbs 6:20-23 - a lamp and light
- Matthew 11:28-30 - an easy yoke

Freedom in Yeshua

- John 8:31-32 - truth makes free
- John 8:36 - free indeed
- The Teaching connects freedom with faithful walking

Living Together in Grace

- Avoid imposing personal interpretations
- Hold firmly to what is written
- Practice humility, patience, and fellowship

Questions for Reflection

- What is written, and what is tradition?
- Where have I added unnecessary requirements?
- How can I practice truth and grace together?