**Breaking Free.** Part 5 Pastor David King

(Jeremiah 15:19) This is how the Lord responds: “If you return to me, I will restore you so you can continue to serve me. If you speak good words rather than worthless ones, you will be my spokesman. You must influence them; do not let them influence you! (NLT)

(2 Corinthians 10:13-16) **13**But we will not boast beyond limits, but will boast only with regard to the area of influence God assigned to us, to reach even to you. **14**For we are not overextending ourselves, as though we did not reach you. For we were the first to come all the way to you with the gospel of Christ. **15**We do not boast beyond limit in the labors of others. But our hope is that as your faith increases, our area of influence among you may be greatly enlarged, **16**so that we may preach the gospel in lands beyond you, without boasting of work already done in another's area of influence. (ESV)

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(Matthew 5:13) You are the salt for everyone on earth. But if salt no longer tastes like salt, how can it make food salty? All it is good for is to be thrown out and walked on. (CEV)

(Matthew 5:16) Make your light shine, so others will see the good you do and will praise your Father in heaven. (CEV)

**1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ?**

(Hebrews 13:16) Don’t forget to do good things for others and to share what you have with them. These are the kinds of sacrifices that please God. (GW)

(Ephesians 2:10) For we are God’s handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do. (NIV)

**2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ?**

(Exodus 4:2) Then the Lord said to him, “What is that in your hand?” “A staff,” he replied. (NIV)

(Galatians 6:4) **4-5**Make a careful exploration of who you are and the work you have been given, and then sink yourself into that. Don’t be impressed with yourself. Don’t compare yourself with others. Each of you must take responsibility for doing the creative best you can with your own life. (MSG)

**3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ?**

(Proverbs 3:27-28) Never walk away from someone who deserves help; your hand is *God’s* hand for that person. Don’t tell your neighbor “Maybe some other time” or “Try me tomorrow” when the money’s right there in your pocket. (MSG)

(Isaiah 58:10-11) **10**and if you spend yourselves in behalf of the hungry and satisfy the needs of the oppressed, then your light will rise in the darkness, and your night will become like the noonday. **11**The Lord will guide you always; he will satisfy your needs in a sun-scorched land and will strengthen your frame. You will be like a well-watered garden, like a spring whose waters never fail. (NIV)

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