

## Week Five

### *Recommended Books*

*The Bait of Satan* by John Bevere

*Waking the Dead* by John Eldridge



Do you agree that the greater our pride, the greater our ego, the more likely we will feel offended? Why or why not?

Read aloud Romans 6:3-4. Did you know that at Baptism you were connected to Jesus' life death, and resurrection? What implications does this truth have for your life?

When are you most likely to feel offended as if you can do nothing about it? What does it mean that you don't have to be a slave to that offense?

What do you think it means to consider yourself free from sin but alive in Christ Jesus?

In dealing with offenses, why is it important to remember that we are under grace and not under the law?

As we wrap up this series, what has been your biggest lesson learned? What will you change as a result of this series?

## Scriptures

Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life. -Romans 6:3-4

For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our former self was crucified with him so that the sinful body might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. – Romans 6:5-6

For he who is dead is freed from sin. -Romans 6:7

But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with him. For we know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. –Romans 6:8-9

The death he died to sin, once for all, but the life he lives he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus. -Romans 6:10-11

Do not yield your members to sin as instruments of wickedness, but yield yourselves to God as men who have been brought from death to life, and your members to God as instruments of righteousness. -Romans 6:13

For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law, but under grace. -Romans 6:14