2. APPLYING THE TO MY LIFE SETS ME FREE FIVE WAYS THE BLOOD OF JESUS SETS ME FREE Hebrews 9:14 (NIV) "How much more, then, will the blood of Christ... cleanse our consciences from acts that lead to death, so that we may serve the living God!" B) H 1 Peter 2:24 (NIV) "He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; by his wounds you have been healed." C) B 1 Peter 1:18-19 (NIV) "For you know that it was not with perishable things such as silver or gold that you were redeemed from the empty way of life handed down to you from your fore-parents, but with the precious blood of Christ..." D) S Matthew 8:16-17 (MSG) "That evening a lot of demon afflicted people were brought to him. He relieved the inwardly tormented. He cured the bodily ill. He fulfilled Isaiah's well-known sermon: `He took our illnesses, he carried our diseases." E) D Exodus 12:7 & 13 (NIV) "Then they are to take some of the blood and put it on the sides and tops of the doorframes of the houses where they eat the lambs... The blood will be a sign for you on the houses where you are; and when I see the blood, I will pass over you. No destructive plague will touch you when I strike Egypt."

POWER-TOOL FOR WEEK 2:

Pray in two ways: 1) In your Quiet time, confess any sin that the Holy Spirit will show you. 2) Also, apply the blood to your life in the five ways listed above. Read the verse and pray over your life.





WEEK 2: THE INVITATION TO BE FREE

The purpose of this series is for you to		the area you need	
freedom in and then	God to reveal His	to break you	
out into freedom.			

FOUR HABITS TO DEVELOP DURING THIS SERIES:

	The habit of attending weekly The habit of attending weekly		
	The habit of cultivating a daily		prayer and Bible reading
•	The habit of engaging in	&	one meal a weel

LUKE 4:16-21 (NIV)

"He went to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, and on the Sabbath day he went into the synagogue, as was his custom. And he stood up to read. The scroll of the prophet Isaiah was handed to him. Unrolling it, he found the place where it is written:

`The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to preach good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim FREEDOM for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to release the oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor.'

Then he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant and sat down. The eyes of everyone in the synagogue were fastened on him, and he began by saying to them, `Today this scripture is fulfilled in your hearing.'"

DEFINITION OF "FREEDOM":	

JESUS INVITES YOU TO FIND FREEDOM:

Jesus Christ invites us to experience freedom spiritually, and in every area of our lives. Yet, many believers are unaware of their bondage.

2 Corinthians 10:4 (NIV) "The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world. On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds."

A Definition of	f a "Stronghold"	(by Ed Silvoso)	

QUESTION: Is there an area of my life that is not lining up with the word of God and yet I accept it as unchangeable?

THE YEAR OF THE LORD'S FAVOR IS THE YEAR OF JUBILEE

Luke 4:19

"... to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor."

Leviticus 25:8-10 (NIV)

"Count off seven sabbaths of years- seven times seven years- so that the seven sabbaths of years amount to a period of forty-nine years. Then have the trumpet sounded everywhere on the tenth day of the seventh month; on the Day of Atonement sound the trumpet throughout your land. Consecrate the fiftieth year and proclaim liberty throughout the land to all its inhabitants. It shall be a jubilee for you; each one of you is to return to their family property and each to their own clan."

The Year of Jubilee/ Freedom meant all debts were cancelled, property was returned to rightful owners, and slaves were released.

When you hear Jesus' invitation, you must _____ it & _____ it.

HOW TO APPLY FREEDOM:

The Jews understood that the "Year of the Lord's Favor" started with
Two things occurred on the high holy Day of Atonement: • All the people would fast and pray and their sins. • The High Priest would enter the Holy of Holies to sprinkle the of the sacrifice for the sins of the whole nation.
1. MY FREEDOM STARTS WITH
1 John 1:5-7, 9(NIV) "This is the message we have heard from him and declare to you: God is light; in him there is no darkness at all. If we claim to have fellowship with him yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do not live by the truth. But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness."
"Confess" (Strong's #3670, homologeo) means
Why is confession so important? Sin steals my freedom by moving me out from under God's covenant protection and produces an or for Satan to steal what God has for me.
The Bible says that Cain opened the door to sin : (Genesis 4:7) "If you do what is right, will you not be accepted? But if you do not do

what is right, sin is crouching at your door; it desires to have you, but

you must master it."