

A person stands on the peak of a mountain, silhouetted against a bright, hazy sky. The person is wearing a dark jacket and light-colored pants. The background shows a vast landscape of rolling hills and mountains, with a few birds flying in the sky. The overall mood is serene and contemplative.

# DELIVERANCE

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# Deliverance: INTRODUCTION

Your personal hell doesn't have to be a cell.

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The reality of spiritual evil.

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Hebrews 2:15

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What is deliverance?

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Why is deliverance needed?

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Have an expectation that YOU will receive deliverance as you hear and believe the promises of God.

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# Session 1: IDENTITY, AUTHORITY & POWER

## Section 1A: Salvation Is Deliverance And Identity

The actual meaning of salvation is deliverance. "Sozo" = wholeness.

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The actual work of salvation is giving you a new identity.

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This is essential in your understanding, or you will relegate yourself to being damaged goods.

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How you view yourself matters... it will dictate how you live.

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Deliverance is not earned.

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Section 1B: You Are In Christ

Acts 17:28 - "In Him we live and move and have our being..."

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John 8:36

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Romans 5:8

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Ephesians 1:4

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1 Thessalonians 5:10

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Section 1C: Your Identity Supplies Your Authority

Philippians 3:12

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Your identity becomes a rudder that guides your authority.

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Section 1D: You Belong To Jesus, Not Satan

1 Corinthians 6:20

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Matthew 20:28

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Revelation 5:9

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It is because of this purchase that we can never again be owned by the devil.

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1 Peter 1:23

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Section 1E: Oppressed, Not Possessed

Possession by a spirit is a lie that captures some people.

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You, as a Christian, can never be possessed, because you are the possession of Jesus.

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What is oppression?

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Oppression can also affect your body.

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Section 1F: Your Authority Supplies Your Power

1 Peter 1:23

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This is an area where your enemy wants to convince you otherwise.

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Luke 10

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Jesus actually appoints us to this position.

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All we need to do is receive our appointment and walk in it.

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# Session 2: THE BATTLE

## Section 2A: Satan's Work On God's Children

We are all engaged in a battle.

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Satan is depending on your ignorance.

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2 Corinthians 2:11

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Satan will not try to come in and overthrow you on his first encounter.

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The progression that satan uses most often is to get you to fall in a small area first.

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1 Corinthians 15:33

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Next is the lie that comes straight from the pit of hell: "These small transgressions are really not a problem at all. You can handle it."

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People will set up false limits to their sin.

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Once satan has made inroads into your soul, he can now begin to work on many areas at once.

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When a child of God has become accustomed to tolerating sins in his or her life, there is an inevitable change that will begin to happen in the soul.

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Hebrews 3:13

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Because of this change in our soul, we can then begin to accept sins which at one time we thought we would never participate in or allow into our lives.

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And lastly, satan comes in with his final mockery by making you think you can never be forgiven and get back on the right path.

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1 John 2:1

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1 John 1:9

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Section 2B: Demonic Strategies Against Individuals

A strategy is, in fact, a long-term plan.

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Isolation is a long-term strategy the enemy uses.

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Whereas a temptation is more of a tactic.

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Tactics are used in the moment and are designed to get an instant response.

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In Luke 4, we see Jesus being tempted by the devil.

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Interestingly enough, Adam and Eve were tempted in a very similar way.

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These tactics and strategies are designed to affect your soul in a subtle way.

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Understanding the difference between strategies and tactics might very well be the difference in whether you are successful at resisting the enemy, or not.

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# Session 3: BATTLE WON

Our enemy needs us to not recognize there is a battle raging.

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Satan definitely does not want us to recognize an essential aspect of this battle: it is a won war.

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Satan wants you to operate from a place of perceived defeat.

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This knowledge-based belief system will cause you to operate in a God-confident faith.

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Numbers 13

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The problem was that they looked at circumstances, not the promise.

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We need to remember, and call to remembrance, that the finished work of Christ destroys the works of the devil.

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1 John 3:8

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Colossians 2:15

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Lies we believe have an effect. These lies might even be based in facts we see with our eyes.

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God's reality will speak against our perceived reality.

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Fight to win. Never look for a draw.

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Luke 9:1-6

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Session 4:  
**GETTING FREE**

Section 4A: Getting Free

The first and most essential thing to getting free is repentance.

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A big part of repentance is coming to terms with our sins.

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Proverbs 28:13

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1 John 3:8

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1 John 1:9

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This confession should always be first and directly to God.

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There will be times when you will need to find someone who you trust, and who is a strong believer that understands the Bible, and confess to them.

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## Section 4B: Releasing Unforgiveness

The next thing you must consider and do is to release unforgiveness.

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Principle: God forgives. You're made in His image, and you are designed to forgive and not hold on to unforgiveness.

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Principle: If you don't forgive others, God cannot forgive you because He is bound by His word.

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Matthew 18

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Forgiving yourself.

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Section 4C: Where Do I Get Deliverance?

Personal deliverance with God.

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Your personal time with God in prayer and worship.

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Your time in the Bible and allowing the Bible to examine your life.

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Your time actively involved in a church and with believers.

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You scheduling a time of counseling with a trained believer.

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Section 4D: Mindsets

Many times we need deliverance from mindsets that we have developed over time.

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These mindsets cannot be something you tolerate in your life.

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Mindsets are against your purpose.

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Mindsets are detrimental to your position in this life and the assignment from God for your life.

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Mindsets will cripple you and cause you to back down from the calling on your life.

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How do you get deliverance from mindsets? Romans 12.

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Start by focusing on what the Bible actually says about people in general, and you specifically.

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Romans 8

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Do not allow people to speak anything that looks like death to you.

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# Session 5: STAYING FREE

## Section 5A: Staying Free

Question: How do you know when and if the deliverance worked?

- "Clarity comes when there was confusion previously."
- "The feeling of being overwhelmed by insurmountable odds is gone, and hope is restored."
- "Things that used to trigger me or send me down a certain emotional path do not affect me anymore."
- "I have an assurance that comes from knowing that God is who He says He is, and does what He says He does."

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- "You will see the fruit of a changed life."
- "You will see a difference in how you are compelled vs. how you are tempted."
- "You will enter into discipleship more deeply, without previous hindrances."
- "You will sense the cleansing that comes from walking in the light and confessing before God. Isolation is broken and you are reconnected to fellowship with God and others."

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### Section 5B: Setting Up Shields

Sometimes people bring an expectancy to deliverance, or the deliverance process, that is not in line with the Word of God.

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We judge our deliverance by our feelings.

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We judge our deliverance by some manifestation, or lack of manifestation.

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We must bring to our deliverance what God says and walk in faith.

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Luke 11:14-26

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Sometimes people think that with deliverance there will be no temptation or battle afterward.

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Temptation is not a sin.

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Hebrews 4:15-16

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Because of this mindset many folks go into condemnation and, in fact, believe a lie that they are not made free by Jesus.

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Setting up shields.

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Set up accountability people in your life.

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Section 5C: Designed For Fellowship

Connecting to the Body of Christ, the church, His people, is also an essential component to staying free.

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There are things, places and people you must avoid.

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Romans 12

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A lifestyle of a disciple will also secure your deliverance and keep you free.

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# Session 6: THE REASON YOU WERE DELIVERED

You were designed for relationship.

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You were designed to submit, not to be made to submit.

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Your enemy wants to dominate you and be a taskmaster and for you to be his slave.

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Your Father in Heaven wants you to willingly come to Him and live with Him in a union of family, friendship, and love.

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You were designed to rule, not to be ruled.

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You were designed to exercise jurisdiction.

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Your true identity is sonship with God.

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Colossians 2: 6-11

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# THANK YOU

On behalf of Word of Life Fellowship and the SPIRIT School of Ministry, we would like to thank you for participating in the Deliverance online course.

Our prayer is that you will be able to take what you have learned during this training and apply it to every aspect of your life and ministry.

If you have any questions that come to mind after the training is completed, or if you would like us to bring this training to your church, please contact us on our website, [spiritschoolofministry.com](http://spiritschoolofministry.com)

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