

"According as his divine power hath given unto us all things that pertain unto life and godliness, through the knowledge of him that hath called us to glory and virtue: Whereby are given unto us exceeding great and precious promises: that by these ye might be partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust." 2Peter 1:3-4



The miraculous power of the indwelling Spirit of the Living God transforms believers from ground grubbing strutting turkeys to high flying soaring eagles. This earth and all it contains is under the Adamic curse of sin. It groans for the

release that will only come with the return of its Lord and Master, Jesus Christ. God, through His Spirit, has granted us a type of early release. He has given us the power to overcome the corruption of mortal flesh that is sold under sin. If we carefully follow His instructions, we can experience the freedom of the spiritual realm here on earth. Impulse and desire need be our master no longer. If we walk hand in hand with the Holy Spirit through faith and obedience to the revealed Word of God, we can enjoy complete freedom of fellowship with our Father God. We can have peace and joy beyond human expression or comprehension. The peace that will rule in our hearts will defy all chaos and destruction that surrounds us. It will supersede all temptation, impulse and desire and free us from the deadly chains that once condemned us to death. We will be free to obey righteousness and intimately commune with our Maker. Through fervent prayer and faith we can tap into the power of the Almighty God. We have been transformed into a "new creature" in Christ, and are no longer under any power of sin. If we sin now, it's because we choose to do so. Before the Holy Spirit quickened us, we had no choice but to shuffle along wherever the shackles of sin dragged us. We are no longer shackled, and are free to "mount up with wings like eagles and run and not be weary." Jesus has "unshackled" us forever.

Free to soar the sky on high,
Free to spread our wings and fly,
Free to know sweet Beulah's Land,
Free to hold the nail-scarred hand. ~CGP

Through faith in Christ we can clean escape the corruption of this decomposing world. We can climb to heights unknown to any but God. An eagle can only fly if it spreads its wings. Our wings of faith can carry us skyward on the currents of God's limitless Grace above the storm into the Son-light.

"That as sin hath reigned unto death, even so might grace reign through righteousness unto eternal life by Jesus Christ our Lord." Romans 5:21