

**NOTES: Faith and Freedom**  
**October 10<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>**  
**Pastor Dustin Reed, Compelled Church**

---

**Galatians 6:7-8**

**What you feed will grow, What you starve will die.**

**What are you feeding?**

Flesh - outward living

Spirit - inward living

**If you don't like the harvest, Check the seed in your hand.**

-We choose the seed we sow.

**"Direction not intention determines destination" Andy Stanley**

**We don't fight this battle by working harder. We fight it with surrender and trusting greater.**

**Practical Steps**

**Move From Defender To Surrender**

-Stop hiding the broken areas from God, He sees them already.

-Stop trying to protect the false self you have to come to know and love.

**Learn To Discern**

-Spend time with God and allow the Holy Spirit to reveal Himself to you.

**Pace The Race**

-This long hall. Don't forget this is not a sprint (2 Timothy 4:7)

**Look To The Book**

-God's word is the instructions for living by the spirit and it can't be optional (2 Timothy 3:15-17)

**Ephesians 2:1-9**

**Sermon Discussion Question: Faith and Freedom**  
**October 10<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>**  
**Pastor Dustin Reed, Compelled Church**

---

**Read Galatians 6:7-8**

- 1. What are some observations you have from Verse 7-8?**
- 2. Have you ever sowed to please your flesh? How did that reap destruction?**
- 3. Have you ever sowed to please the spirit? How did that reap eternal life?**
- 4. Pastor Dustin said "What you feed will grow, What you starve will die". How does that relate to our spiritual walk?**

**False Self - Flesh, Desires of the world, sinful desires**

**Truth Self - Spirit, Original Design, Fruit of the spirit, Godly Principles**

- 5. Why is it such a battle choosing the True Self over the False Self?**
- 6. What are some things that the True Self and False Self are both searching for?**
- 7. In verse 7, Paul says "God will not be mocked" What does that mean?**
- 8. Pastor Dustin said "If you don't like the harvest, Check the seed in your hand". Have you ever been in a place where you didn't like your harvest? Was it because of the seeds in your hand?**
- 9. Andy Stanley says "Direction not intention determines destination". How have you seen this truth play out in your life?**
- 10. Do you find it difficult to trust God instead of trying to work harder for Him?**
- 11. Why do we need to trust Him instead of trying to work harder at fixing ourselves?**
- 12. Below are some practical steps to help us choose our True Self over False Self, Do you have any encouragement or testimonies from these steps?**
  - Move From Defender To Surrender**
  - Learn To Discern (James 4:8)**
  - Pace The Race (2 Timothy 4:7)**
  - Look To The Book (2 Timothy 3:15-17)**