

OPENING PRAISE & WORSHIP

DEEP CRIES OUT

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Verse: I've got a river of living water
A fountain that never will run dry
It's an open heaven You're releasing
And we will never be denied

Pre-Chorus: 'Cause we're stirring up deep, deep wells
We're stirring up deep, deep waters
We're gonna dance in the river, dance in the river
We're stirring up deep, deep wells
We're stirring up deep, deep waters
We're gonna jump in the river, jump in the river

Chorus: **Deep cries out, deep cries out to You**
Deep cries out, deep cries out to You
We cry out, we cry out to You, Jesus

Bridge 1: We're falling into deeper waters calling out to You
We're walking into deeper waters going after You

Bridge 2: If He goes to the left, then we'll go to the left
And if He goes to the right, then we'll go to the right
We're going to jump-jump, jump-jump in the river
Jump-jump, jump-jump everybody

Dance, dance, dance, dance in the river
Dance, dance, dance, dance

Shout, shout, shout, shout in the river
Shout, shout, shout, shout – Yeah!

OFFERING SCRIPTURES

GALATIANS 5:1

It is for freedom that Christ has set us free.

2 CORINTHIANS 3:17

The Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is there is freedom.

PSALM 119:44-45

I'll keep your Word continually, forever and ever.

[hearing, receiving, loving, and obeying it].

And I will walk in freedom and at ease,
for I have sought Your precepts with all my heart.

FAITH CONFSSION

As I honor You Lord with my tithes and offerings, I thank You that You have freely given me life and life more abundantly.

As I hear Your Word today, I receive it with a grateful heart.

Thank You for the freedom and victory that I have because of You.

Amen.

WORSHIP

DO IT AGAIN

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Verse 1: Walking around these walls I thought by now they'd fail
But you have never failed me yet
Waiting for change to come, knowing the battle's won
For you have never failed me yet

Chorus: **Your promise still stands
Great is your faithfulness, faithfulness
I'm still in Your hands
This is my confidence, You've never failed me yet**

Verse 2: I know the night won't last, Your Word will come to pass
My heart will sing Your praise again
Jesus, You're still enough, keep me within Your love
My heart will sing Your praise again

Bridge: I've seen you move, You move the mountains
And I believe, I'll see You do it again
You made a way, where there was no way
And I believe, I'll see You do it again

SET A FIRE

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Verse 1: No place I would rather be
No place I would rather be
No place I would rather be
Than here in Your love, here in Your love

Chorus: **Set a fire down in my soul
That I can't contain and I can't control
I want more of You God
I want more of You God**

BREAKING THE YOKE

Today we continue looking at the topic of the presence of the Holy Spirit

Last week we looked at the Idea of extra oil... Speaking of the presence of the Holy Spirit

- **Matt 25:4** ...the wise took oil in their vessels with their lamps. NKJV

This week... I want to talk to you about how we assimilate that oil... what it looks like in real life...

Isaiah 10:27... It shall come to pass in that day That his burden will be taken away from your shoulder, and his yoke from your neck, and the yoke will be destroyed because of the **anointing oil**. (NKJV)

Gods remedy for the situation was the anointing oil- The hand of the Lord on our lives

- NAS- That yoke will be broken off of your neck because of fatness... stored up anointing
- The yoke will be destroyed because you have grown so fat... the yoke begins to weaken... cracks and finally comes off of our necks

The Yoke

The yoke is a wooden coupling laid across the shoulders of oxen... tied and bound together by iron causing the animal to come under the direction of those in charge... for plowing... to pull great loads... to keep the oxen in control

Tool- designed to bring productivity

The yoke was a symbol of submission

- Coming under the mission of another

The yoke was carved to fit... negative sense.. Satan has a plan to fit us into His of your life mold...

- Satan does have a mission and that is **to kill steal and destroy the hope... plans... dreams...**

Romans 12:2...(Warns us)... **do not be conformed to this worlds patterns...** pressed into its mold

- That's the yoke of bondage working

God also has a custom fit plan for your life... His yoke is also a custom fit

Matthew 11:28-29 ..."Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. (NIV)

Point: The yoke is a tool, but the origin of the yoke now becomes critical ... whose yoke?

COME TO ME

Appeal... He is calling... offering

TAKE MY YOKE UPON YOU

Voluntary... on purpose... you can only be free from the yoke by taking His yoke... either way we are declaring whom we will serve

The problem with the church is not relationship... it's submission... Coming under the mission of the Spirit

When Jesus said, "**Take my yoke upon you**", He meant that we are to submit ourselves to Him every day in every way.

- What we are saying ... I am intentionally coming under the mission laid out for me by Jesus Christ
- I am taking off the heavy burden laden suit Satan has molded my life into

Exchange (one yoke for another)

Jesus encourages those who are "**heavy laden**" to take His yoke upon them, and in so doing they will find rest for their souls.

Bottom line... you must take on His yoke to experience His freedom.

LEARN FROM ME

Philippians 2:5 -In your relationships with one another, have the same mindset as Christ Jesus: (NIV)

- **NLT**-You must have the same attitude that Christ Jesus had.

Philippians 2:7-8 ...Even though he is God... Humbled Himself to become a man and even to death on the cross.

Jesus said learn from me... I came under the fathers yoke... now Take my yoke... come under the corrective hand of the anointing

TCC – We are to come under the mission of Jesus... one decision at a time... Transformed into His image...

LAST WORD

Isaiah 10:27- The yoke will be destroyed because of the Anointed one

Judah... King Hezekiah... because he was the king in charge... when He took a stand in the anointing he was anointed with – the yoke would be destroyed

TCC - Who is our king... who is our anointed one... who stands up for us... whose authority do we walk in ... whose anointing do we find our victory in?

TCC- our anointed one has come and has redeemed our lives ransomed us from the tyrannical yoke of the enemy

- Our anointed one who lives in us by virtue of the Holy Spirit
- Our anointed one who baptizes us with his holy Spirit

Come to me...Take my yoke... purposefully take His presence in to your life... Learn from me... there is a place of living the life in the spirit

Jesus says... I have already come and rescued you!!... Take my Spirit upon you and find rest for your souls...Come...take... Learn