



### Introduction:

- As Black History Month comes to a close this week, I am reminded of Martin Luther King Jr.'s famous speech, *I Have A Dream*. In it, Dr. King visualized freedom from oppression for all African-Americans with the climactic ending to his speech proclaiming, *"Free at last, free at last, thank God Almighty, we are free at last."*
- Last week we saw Isaiah's response to the holiness of God; he came completely unraveled in the presence of the Almighty. But God didn't leave him that way. God cleansed Isaiah with a burning coal from the altar, thus purifying him and making him fit for service to the King.
- This morning, we will take a closer look at how, like Isaiah, we are purified – made holy – when we come to faith in Jesus Christ. From Romans 6 we learn that Paul is saying:

**Grace may be free...but it isn't \_\_\_\_\_!**

**1. We \_\_\_\_\_ to Sin (v.3)**

**2. Our Old Self Was \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 6)**

**3. Don't Let Sin \_\_\_\_\_ in Your Body (v. 12)**

**Conclusion:**