



Part 4 RULED BY REJECTION

STARTING-POINT: We've _____ been _____.

- * The _____ is _____ of rejected, broken people.
- * **THE DANGER:** Rejection can leave _____ which, if left unattended, can have _____.
- * **REMINDER:** The Gospel is _____ (Hebrews 4:15-16).
- * Jesus experienced all the _____ you did (Hebrews 4:15) & came to earth to _____ (Luke 4:18-19).

THE CLUE IS IN THE WORD _____.

If you allow the _____ of _____ to take root in the _____ of _____, it produces a _____ of _____, leading to the _____ of _____ (Hebrews 12:15, Proverbs 4:23).

HOW DO YOU BREAK REJECTION'S RULE?

1. _____ & _____
 - * Unforgiveness can be a _____.
 - * Forgiveness is right at the _____ of the _____.
 - * Forgiveness is a conscious, deliberate _____ to _____ feelings of _____ or _____ toward a person who has harmed you, regardless of whether they actually deserve it.
 - * The power of forgiveness is that it sees a _____, _____ God as the _____ and _____ a whole bunch of baggage _____.
 - * Forgiveness is not an act of _____ but an act of _____ & a work of _____.

2. _____ THE _____ IN

- * Only _____ can truly _____ a _____ (Psalm 34:18, 147:3, Isaiah 61:1).
- * First, _____ the _____.
- * Then, _____ & _____.
- * Finally, _____ what He _____.
- ... There'll be a _____ (of pain, forgiving, maybe repenting)
- ... There'll be a _____ (imparting of God's love, grace & comfort)
- ... There'll be the _____ of _____ (taking authority over the enemy, rejecting his lies & the receiving of healing power).

3. CLIMB BACK ONTO THE _____

- * Rejection opens the door to a whole lot of _____.
- * In extremes, it can leave you at the bottom of a _____.
- * But, God can _____ & put your feet back on _____ (Psalm 40:1-3).
- * We all need our _____ to be _____ so we can be _____ (Romans 12:2).
- * For a Christian, metamorphosis is from infant to _____, broken to _____, ashes to _____, insecure to _____, confused to _____.
- * The primary agent of transformation & renewal is _____.