

## Until Every One is Free

**Tomorrow we celebrate the birth of our nation and the freedom that so many have paid the ultimate price protecting for us.** We are free to worship today because so many have served to keep us free. Would all of you who have served in the military please stand? Let's give them a round of applause! Thank you for your service.

If you have served or are a family member of one who served you have probably heard of the USO. **The USO has provided support for soldiers and their families for over 75 years.** They provide entertainment to our troops and support to their families. Their slogan is, **“Until Every One Comes Home.”** I love that slogan and pray that one day it will be true.

As we celebrate the freedom of our nation we know that millions of people are still enslaved. White, black, Asian, Indian, all races everywhere are born into sin. That sin sows seeds that grow into chains of spiritual slavery. Those chains of sin lead humanity into all kinds of harm and woe. True freedom does not come from releasing physical chains but from releasing spiritual chains. At YOUR CHURCH this is our focus. This is what drives us each and every day, to sow the seeds of spiritual freedom.

The Apostle Paul wrote to the Galatians this, “It is for freedom that Christ has set us free.” **Like the USO slogan our slogan could be stated, “Until Every One is Free.”**

**You are a big part of helping us achieve this dream of ultimate freedom.** Every time you attend, serve, invite, pray and give you sow a seed that makes it possible for others to experience the true freedom that comes only in Jesus Christ!

So this morning as we take up this offering let's give so that we can continue our positive message of life change, **“Until Every One is Free.”**