

# John

## CHAPTER 8

**31** Then said Jesus to those Jews which believed on Him, If you continue in My word, *then* are you My disciples indeed;

**32** And you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.

**33** They answered Him, We be Abraham's seed, and were never in bondage to any man: how says you, You shall be made free?

**34** Jesus answered them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, Whosoever commits sin is the servant of sin.

**35** And the servant abides not in the house for ever: *but* the Son abides ever.

**36** If the Son therefore shall make you free, you shall be free indeed.

**37** I know that you are Abraham's seed; but you seek to kill me, because My word has no place in you.

**38** I speak that which I have seen with My Father: and you do that which you have seen with your father.

**39** They answered and said unto Him, Abraham is our father. Jesus said unto them, If you were Abraham's children, you would do the works of Abraham.

**40** But now you seek to kill Me, a Man that has told you the truth, which I have heard of God: this did not Abraham.

**41** You do the deeds of your father. Then said they to Him, We be not born of fornication; we have one Father, *even* God.

**42** Jesus said unto them, If God were your Father, you would love Me: for I proceeded forth and came from God; neither came I of Myself, but He sent Me.

**43** Why do you not understand My speech? *even* because you cannot hear My word.

**44** You are of *your* father the devil, and the lusts of your father you will do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaks a lie, he speaks of his own: for he is a liar, and the father of it.

**45** And because I tell *you* the truth, you believe Me not.