### WILL YOU TAKE THE CHALLENGE?

# Read the book EVERY MANS BATTLE within the next seven days

## **Recommended Resources**

Every Woman's Battle
Every Young Man's Battle
The Bondage Breaker by Neal Anderson
Victory Over The Darkness by Neal Anderson
Every Man's Battle by Stephen Arterburn
The Battlefield of the Mind by Joyce Meyer
The Power of Right Believing by Joseph Prince
How To Overcome The Darkness Gary Kinnaman

\*\*\*All resources listed are available in the HUB

## TODAY'S ACTION STEPS...

- □ Read the book EVERY MAN'S BATTLE or purchase the book EVERY WOMAN'S BATTLE or EVERY YOUNG MAN'S BATTLE.
- $\ \square$  Attend the Weekend of Freedom this coming Friday at 7pm and Saturday from 9am to 4pm.
- □ Recommend a friend or family member to attend the Celebrate Recovery meetings each Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m. in the Grace Annex. Childcare is provided at Grace Preschool area.
- □ Learn more about CELEBRATE RECOVERY by going to www.celebraterecovery.com or visiting the CR table in the HUB.
- □ Attend this Wednesday night's service with Loyd Vanderburg and hear his story about overcoming addiction to pornography. 7pm
- $\Box$  Watch today's service and sermon online at www.graceassembly.org or on the Grace app.
- □ Tweet, Facebook, Instagram a picture, testimony or major thought from today's service. @TheGraceAG #WatchingHerodsDaughter #FREE



# **Watching Herods Daughter**

#FREE Series Part 6 Pastor Wayne Murray July 20, 2014 #FREE

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#### Weekend of Freedom

Friday July 25 at 7:00 p.m. Saturday July 26 9am to 4pm

## **Scripture Text**

"Now King Herod heard of Him, for His name had become well known. And he said, "John the Baptist is risen from the dead, and therefore these powers are at work in him." Others said, "It is Elijah."

And others said, "It is the Prophet, or like one of the prophets."

<sup>16</sup> But when Herod heard, he said, "This is John, whom I beheaded; he has been raised from the dead!"

<sup>17</sup> For Herod himself had sent and laid hold of John, and bound him in prison for the sake of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife; for he had married her. Because John had said to Herod, "It is not lawful for you to have your brother's wife."

<sup>19</sup> Therefore Herodias held it against him and wanted to kill him, but she could not; <sup>20</sup> for Herod feared John, knowing that he was a just and holy man, and he protected him. And when he heard him, he did many things, and heard him gladly."

Mark 6:14-20

#### Which Herod was it?

Herod The Great Herod Agrippa Herod Agrippa II

# Three reactions to the preaching of truth You can repent, forsake sin You can be a hypocrite

"Then an opportune day came when Herod on his birthday gave a feast for his nobles, the high officers, and the chief men of Galilee. <sup>22</sup> And when Herodias' daughter herself came in and danced, and pleased Herod and those who sat with him, the king said to the girl, "Ask me whatever you want, and I will give it to you." <sup>23</sup> He also swore to her, "Whatever you ask me, I will give you, up to half my kingdom." <sup>24</sup> So she went out and said to her mother, "What shall I ask?" And she said, "The head of John the Baptist!" <sup>25</sup> Immediately she came in with haste to the king and asked, saying, "I want you to give me at once the head of John the Baptist on a platter." <sup>26</sup> And the king was exceedingly sorry; yet, because of the oaths and because of those who sat with him, he did not want to refuse her. <sup>27</sup> Immediately the king sent an executioner and commanded his head to be brought. And he went and beheaded him in prison, <sup>28</sup> brought his head on a platter, and gave it to the girl; and the girl gave it to her mother. <sup>29</sup> When his disciples heard of it, they came and took away his corpse and laid it in a tomb."

#### - Mark 6:21-29

"Never before in the history of telecommunications media in the United States has so much indecent (and obscene) material been so easily accessible by so many minors in so many American homes with so few restrictions."

- U.S. Department of Justice, 1996

Why did Herodias ask for John The Baptists head on a platter?

Because it represented Herod's

"Then Herod. . . treated Him (Jesus) with contempt and mocked Him."
- Luke 23:11

How do we watch Herod's Daughter?

# STEPS TO BE FREE FROM WATCHING HEROD'S DAUGHTER

"If then you were raised with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ is, sitting at the right hand of God. <sup>2</sup> Set your mind on things above, not on things on the earth. <sup>3</sup> For you died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. <sup>4</sup> When Christ who is our life appears, then you also will appear with Him in glory. <sup>5</sup> Therefore put to death your members which are on the earth: fornication, uncleanness, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. <sup>6</sup> Because of these things the wrath of God is coming upon the sons of disobedience, <sup>7</sup> in which you yourselves once walked when you lived in them."

## Colossians 3:1-7

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	"Because of these things the wrath of God is coming on the sons of disobedience." - Colossians 3:5
	"If we <u>confess</u> our sins, He is faithful and just and will forgive us ou sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." - 1 John 1:9
2. R	
	"How shall a young stay pure? By obeying your word." Ps 119:9 NLT
3. 1	R
	"Therefore put to death your members which are on the earth: fornication" Colossians 1:5
	"But among you there must not be even a hint of sexual immorality, or of any kind of impurity." Ephesians 5:3
4. R	
	"Set your mind on things above, not on things on the earth." Colossians 1:2
5. R	
"If a	one person falls, the other can reach out and help. But someone who alone is in real trouble." Ecclesiastes 4:10 NLT