

“Loose him,
and let him
go”

John 11:44



Highlights

- Three persons – Three levels
- Kinds of strings
- Examples of those set free
- To loose the bonds of wickedness



Three persons – Three levels ⁽¹⁾

- The daughter of Jairus: Mark 5

- Death inside the house
- The fallen mind
- “Said to her”
- “*something* should be given her to eat”



Three persons – Three levels ⁽²⁾

- The Son of the Widow of Nain:

Luke 7

- Death went outside in the streets
- Committing the act
- “He came and touched the open coffin”
- “And He presented him to his mother.”



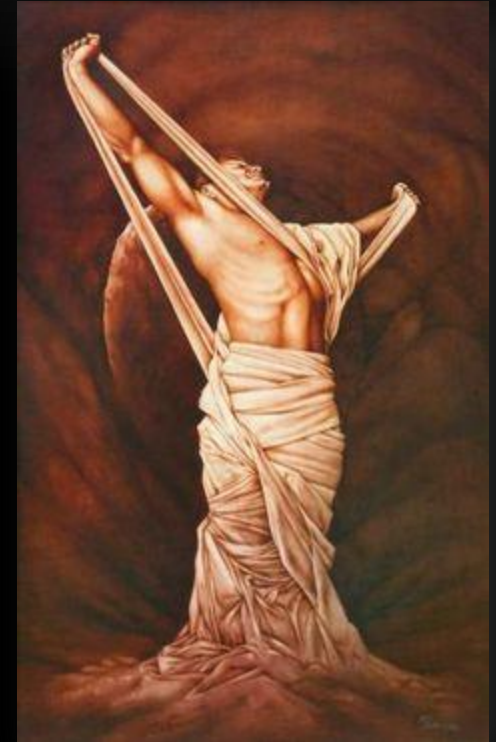
Three persons – Three levels ⁽³⁾

- Lazarus: John 11
 - “there is a stench”
 - Sin as a tyrant master
 - “He cried with a loud voice”
 - “Loose him, and let him go”



Kinds of Strings ⁽¹⁾

- Bad habits – addictions
- Rotten attitude:
 - An inability to admit wrongdoing
 - Failing to forgive
 - Petty jealousy
 - Critical spirit



Kinds of Strings ⁽²⁾

- Personality disorders:
 - Narcissistic
 - Paranoid
 - Antisocial
 - Avoidant



Kinds of Strings ⁽³⁾

- Ill temper:
 - Anger
 - Complaining
 - Anxiety
 - Mood swings
- Lingering sins: bad mouth, uncontrolled senses, etc.



Examples of those set free

- Abba Moses the black:
 - His gluttony
 - Thoughts of fornication
 - Bad temper
- The story of Natalie and Fr. Arsany



To loose the bond of wickedness ⁽¹⁾

1. Hearing the voice – Admitting the fault
2. The firm hope
3. The help of others
4. The renewal of the mind



To loose the bond of wickedness (2)

5. Breaking the cycle
6. The spiritual practices
7. Asking fervently
8. The different atmosphere
9. Exposing the thoughts
10. The underlying cause

