

SERMON OUTLINE
“Breaking Sin’s Grip” – Week 1: *Deceit*
Matthew 13:10-17

I. Deceit concerning ourselves:

- A. We are _____ than we think -I John 1:8
- B. The earthly consequences are _____ than we’ll admit -Psalm 101:7
- C. The _____ are worse than we imagine -Matthew 25:41

II. Deceit toward others:

- A. Understand that _____ -Jeremiah 17:9-10
- B. Recognize that deceit is the _____ of _____ -John 8:44

III. Follow the One who is the Way, _____ and the Life -John 14:6

- A. _____ the truth -John 17:17
- B. _____ in the truth -I Corinthians 13:6
- C. _____ the truth -I John 3:18
- D. _____ in the truth -Ephesians 6:14
- E. _____ to the truth -I John 3:19
- F. _____ the truth -I Peter 1:22

Next Steps:

1. Acknowledge your sin, confess it and receive forgiveness.
2. Fill yourself with God’s Truth (His Word.)
3. Share both God’s love and God’s truth with others.