

**“Breaking Free From the Danger Within”**  
**Ephesians 4:1, Matthew 11:1-6, Mark 6:1-6**  
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**Ephesians 4:1** “Therefore I, the prisoner for the Lord urge you to walk worthy of the calling you have received.”

**What is most likely to stop us from “walking worthy?”**

**Matthew 11:1-3** “Now it came to pass, when Jesus finished commanding His twelve disciples, that He departed from there to teach and to preach in their cities. <sup>2</sup> And when John had heard in prison about the works of Christ, he sent two of his disciples <sup>3</sup> and said to Him, “Are You the Coming One, or do we look for another?”

**Matthew 11: 4-5** “Jesus answered and said to them, “Go and tell John the things which you hear and see: <sup>5</sup> *The* blind see and *the* lame walk; *the* lepers are cleansed and *the* deaf hear; *the* dead are raised up and *the* poor have the gospel preached to them.”

**Matthew 11:6** “And blessed is he who is not offended because of Me.”

“ \_\_\_\_\_ ” – “to entrap, to entice away to sin.”

**Mark 6:1-6** “Jesus left there and went to His hometown, accompanied by His disciples. <sup>2</sup> When the Sabbath had come, He began to teach in the synagogue. And many hearing *Him* were astonished, saying, “Where *did* this Man *get* these ideas? What *is* this wisdom He has been given, that such mighty works are performed by His hands! <sup>3</sup> Is this not the carpenter, the Son of Mary, and brother of James, Joses, Judas, and Simon? And are not His sisters here with us as well?” So they were offended at Him.” <sup>4</sup> But Jesus said to them, “A prophet is not without honor except in his own country, among his own relatives, and in his own house.” <sup>5</sup> Now He could do no mighty work there, except that He laid His hands on a few sick people and healed *them*. <sup>6</sup> And He was amazed at their unbelief.”

**Ephesians 4:30-32** “Do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God... <sup>31</sup> Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. <sup>32</sup> Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.”

**What do we do with offenses?**

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