

If you don't let your past die, then it won't let you ______.

If you are not willing to let go of the past it will wreck your present and rob you of your future. You absolutely cannot move forward and at the same time stay stuck in the past.

- Satan is the accuser of the brethren and wants to use your past to enslave you and limit your life.
- The facts of God's Word always trump our feelings and the lie of our accuser.
- 3. Know that in Christ you are completely ______ and unconditionally loved, so live forgiven. (2 Corinthians 5:17)

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Moving Beyond the Past

- 1. Don't let your mistakes _____ your life.
- We have all failed, made mistakes, and been wounded by others, but the events in our past do not have to define our lives.
- 2. Rise above ______ as you rule over your thinking. (*Romans 8:1*)

- "In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the richness of God's grace." (*Ephesians 1:7*)
- No matter where you have been or what you have done, God loves you purposefully, passionately and unconditionally.

You may not be the person you need to be, but you are not the person you used to be. Jesus Christ has set you free from the prison of the past. Live free!

Answers: live; define; condemnation; forgiven

