

Freedom Challenge

**An affiliate of
Teen Challenge International, USA**

The need for consistent and effective programs in America's prison population has been an ongoing concern for many within the system. We believe that *FREEDOM CHALLENGE* will consistently help inmates with life-controlling problems; which time and again are associated with their offending crimes.

Freedom Ministries of America, Inc. was founded in 1995 to assist the Kansas Dept. of Corrections through a variety of events and activities aimed at improving life within the prison and reducing recidivism through spiritual renewal. Freedom Ministries has impacted thousands of inmates.

Teen Challenge is a program assisting individuals struggling with life-controlling problems. There are over 15 centers in the USA and approx 250 in 70 countries abroad. Since its founding by David Wilkerson in 1958, this faith-based network has grown into the largest of its kind in the world.

In an attempt to respond to the tremendous need in America's Dept. of Corrections, both of these highly regarded organizations partnered together to create *FREEDOM CHALLENGE*.

Many have found great support in practical religion while in the process of recovery from life-controlling problems. *FREEDOM CHALLENGE* seeks to facilitate healing and rehabilitation in inmates whose crimes have been associated with life-controlling issues.

Through the implementation of *FREEDOM CHALLENGE* into the Dept. of Corrections, we believe that inmates' lives will be changed; thus impacting the individual, the facility in which they are incarcerated and society itself.