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*Live Free Journey : Small Group Study*

Series: A Live Free Resource • Author: Jan Kern

Ministry Area: Youth

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## LIVE FREE JOURNEY : SMALL GROUP STUDY

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### SUMMARY:

The Live Free series chronicles the raw, real-world stories of Jackie, who self-injured in dangerous ways; Suzy, who sought intimacy in sexual relationships; and Colin, who found himself grappling with Internet addictions. These stories help teens struggling with any deep temptation or addiction.

*Live Free Journey : Small Group Study*, the first of the new series of Live Free resources, will help create a safe place for teens to work through their struggles together. It sets up a vibrant discussion base for students to discover, in a deeply personal way, what Jesus meant when he said, "If the Son sets you free, you are truly free" (John 8:36, NLT).

### In small groups, students will:



- Take their own courageous journeys toward hope and freedom



- Invite real and honest conversation about life's tough issues



- Provide opportunity to confront personal traps and distortions of God's truth

*Live Free Journey* takes students through six dynamic weeks of Bible study and safe, small group sharing and launches participants beyond the group into future commitments and service.

### ALSO BY THIS AUTHOR:

*Scars That Wound : Scars That Heal – A Journey Out of Self-Injury*

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*Eyes Online : Eyes On Life – A Journey Out of Online Obsession*

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### KEY POINTS:

- Designed for teen and young adult small groups.
- Includes Bible study, discussion starters, questions for personal reflection, and activities.
- Can be used with Live Free books or as a standalone resource.
- *Scars That Wound : Scars That Heal* (a Live Free book) was named a finalist for 2008 ECPA Book of the Year, children/youth category.