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Judges 18:27

“So they took the things Micah had made, and the priest who had belonged to him.”
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How can a genuine priest of the Most High God belong to anyone other than to the LORD? “Fear not I have redeemed you, I have called you by name, you are Mine!” (Isaiah 43:1). Jesus paid the ultimate price for our spiritual freedom. He was willing to give His all for our salvation. He was “sold out” for you! The moment you became a Christian you gave up your old ways and even your old nature. “Therefore, in any man be in Christ, he is a new creation; old things are passed away; behold all things have become new.” (2 Corinthians 5:17). In becoming a new creature you gave up every right to your life – you now belong to Another! “What? Don’t you know that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit Who is in you, and you are not your own any longer? For you have been bought with a price; therefore glorify God in your body and in your spirit, which are God’s! (1 Corinthians 6:19-20).

Because the Master was so willing to pay the ultimate price for your redemption, there is no less expectation upon the believer’s life – we too are called upon by our Father to live lives wholly sold out to His Son, Jesus Christ!

This is only reasonable, isn’t it?

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