



Introduction: Last week I asked how many would raise your hand and say, Pastor, I want to wreck my life. We all laughed at that, and rightfully so because no one in their right mind would actually raise their hand and say I want to ruin my life. No one ever says to themselves, Man, life is going so great that today I think I'll take a drink of alcohol or do some meth and if I'm lucky I can become so addicted that it could cost me my marriage or maybe it could cost me my job. If I drink enough, I could become an alcoholic, lose my children and even end up in jail with a DUI or even my life. I think one of the most destructive ways that Satan uses to destroy people's lives is through addiction. There are millions of people whose lives have been broken through alcohol, drugs, pornography and other addictive behaviors. Now there is a question I want to ask you, is there anything in your life that is controlling you or mastering you? Is there anything you are enslaved by or under the power of? Whatever it is God wants you to be free from it. In this morning's message we're going to look at 5 ways you can wreck your life through addiction.

OUTLINE

- I. No matter what, never _____ that you have a problem.
- II. Always make sure you _____ your fleshly desires.
- III. Make sure you _____ your behavior and make plenty of excuses.
- IV. Always keep your addiction a _____.
- V. Depend on your own _____, never Gods!

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