

Life Group Discussion Questions: May 2013

May 26, 2013: "No Longer Living for Themselves...", 2 Corinthians 5:14-15 (Series: "Dying to Live")

By: Pastor Danny Lightner

1. Share a story of someone you know who stopped living for themselves and started living for God.
2. What did you learn about pride from Sunday's message?
3. Where does pride most show up in your life?
4. What is the Spirit impressing upon your heart to do in order to practice humility more?
5. How did the video of the missionaries sharing the gospel with the Mouk people impact you?

May 19, 2013: "Dead to Sin, Alive to God", Romans 6:1-10 (Series: "Dying to Live")

By: Pastor Mike Rose

1. Talk about someone you know who was able to overcome a long-standing sin in her/his life. To what do you think he/she would attribute that change?
2. What most impacted you from Sunday's message?
3. What does a believer being "dead to sin" mean, and what does it look like?
4. What does a believer being "alive to God" mean, and what does it look like?
5. Read Romans 6:6. In spite of this Truth, why does sin still have power in your life?

May 12, 2013: "The Believer's Union with Christ", Galatians 2:20 (Series: "Dying to Live")

By: Pastor Mike Rose

1. Christians are very familiar with the concept that "Jesus died for me". But Galatians 2:20 is also very clear that WE have died with Christ. From listening to Sunday's message, what does that mean?
2. Why is it so key that a follower of Jesus understand that "I have died with Christ"?
3. We have also been unified with Christ in His resurrection. Why is that so important to understand?
4. When it comes to "growing in your faith" or "pleasing God", how have you attempted to achieve that in the past, but notice that it only brings frustration?
5. Are you learning anything so far from these messages that might enlighten you as to why "spiritual growth" has been difficult?

May 5, 2013: "Dying to Live", Galatians 2:20 (Series: "Dying to Live")

By: Pastor Mike Rose

1. In the past, when you have struggled with sin, what is your usual course of action to try to "get better"?
2. Read Romans 7:15. How do you identify with the struggle that Paul is expressing?
3. Pastor Mike said that one of the reasons Christians still struggle with sin's domination is an "ignorance" problem. What did you learn from the message that removes that ignorance?
4. He also said that we have an "application" problem when it comes to dying to ourselves. What would be an example of "dying to self"?
5. What is the Holy Spirit's role in releasing you from sin's domination?