

DOING LIFE TOGETHER



10. God created you to bring Him glory. How does this change the way you think about yourself?

11. How might you glorify God this week by serving someone else, like Jesus did for you?

12. As we bring our group year to a close, take a few minutes to discuss and pray through specific ways you can live a life that glorifies God this summer, whether that be through tangible acts of service, spiritual conversations that need to be had, or challenges for personal growth.

Prayer Requests

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May 29, 2016 **Sermon Notes**
Does God Play Favorites? God's Glory Takes Priority
Romans 9:22-29

1. God's Patience has a P_____

Luke 6:40
Exodus 33:11

2. God's Glory leaves a L_____

Psalm 19:1
Romans 11:36; 16:27
John 17:1,4
Romans 15:8-12;
1Corinthians 6:19-20;
Philippians 1:11; 2:11

God, revealed in all his glory, B_____ a
B_____ on us

Romans 10:8-13
2Corinthians 3:7 cf Exodus 33:18
John 13:35
Luke 2:20

What do I need to do with what I have heard today?

GROWTH GROUP HOMEWORK

May 29, 2016

THINKING THINGS THROUGH

1. What were you put on earth to do? How do you know?
2. How might Christians and non-Christians answer this question differently?

DIGGING DEEPER

READ JOHN 17:1-3.

3. What is going on in Jesus' life as He prayed this prayer? What "time" has come for Jesus? (Look ahead to John 18 for insight.) How did the crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus glorify the Father and the Son?
4. Jesus mentions us in His prayer. Where do we fit into God's plan of redemption (v. 2)?
5. How does the gift of redemption compel us to live for the glory of God and enjoy Him for eternity?

READ JOHN 17:4-5.

6. Verse 4 gives us Jesus' model for how to live a life that glorifies God. What does it look like when our lives are devoted to the glory of God? What changes about who we are and how we live?
7. Think back to the sermon from Romans 9:22-29. What did we learn about the scope of God's redemptive plan? How does that scope help you better understand the work God has called us to do?
8. If the criteria for a life that glorifies God is to serve Him and tell others about Him, then are you living a life that glorifies Him? Share about the challenges or distractions that have gotten in your way recently.
9. If Jesus prayed before He was glorified, what does it tell us about the necessity of prayer in our own lives as we seek to live for the glory of God and enjoy Him forever?