

Hebrews 6 – Week Three small group

Small Group Guide: Eternal Judgment and Living in God's Grace

Opening Prayer

Key Takeaways:

1. God's grace is extended to all people in this life, both believers and unbelievers.
2. Our response to God's grace determines our eternal destiny.
3. There will be a final judgment for both believers and unbelievers.
4. For believers, judgment is not about salvation but about how we lived our lives in Christ.
5. Our works serve as evidence of our faith and transformation in Christ.

Discussion Questions:

1. How does understanding that "every day is a day of grace" change your perspective on life?
2. The sermon mentioned two types of responses to God's grace. How have you seen these play out in your own life or in the lives of others?
3. How does the reality of eternal judgment impact your daily choices and actions?
4. What does it mean to you that there are "books" recording our deeds? How does this affect your view of accountability?
5. The sermon emphasizes that salvation is by grace through faith alone, not by works. How do you reconcile this with the idea that our works will be judged?

6. What evidence of "transformational grace" do you see in your own life since becoming a believer?

7. How can we live with confidence in our salvation while still maintaining a healthy fear of God?

Practical Applications:

1. Daily Grace Journal: For one week, keep a daily journal noting specific ways you experience God's grace and how you respond to it.

2. Spiritual Self-Assessment: Take time to reflect on areas of your life where you've seen spiritual growth and areas where you still need transformation. Share with a trusted friend or accountability partner.

3. Acts of Grace: Choose one way this week to extend God's grace to someone else, whether through forgiveness, acts of kindness, or sharing the gospel.

4. Scripture Memorization: Commit to memorizing 2 Corinthians 5:17 as a reminder of your new identity in Christ.

5. Prayer Focus: Spend time in prayer asking God to reveal any areas of your life that are not aligned with His will, and seek His strength to make necessary changes.

Closing Prayer:

Thank God for His grace and the assurance of salvation through Christ. Ask for His help in living lives that reflect His transforming work in us.