



These questions are provided for your further study and application of the message. Thoughtfully writing out the answers to these questions will help to drive home the point. It is also helpful to discuss your answers with others.

## **LifeGroup Discussion**

Date: March 19, 2017

### **Psalm 119:73-80**

1. Read Psalm 119:73. What does the psalmist acknowledge in the first half of this verse? How does this acknowledgment help the psalmist to lead?
2. Remember that the psalmist was suffering and yet he desired to lead in the midst of his suffering. How can suffering shape us into teachers and leaders?
3. Earlier in this series on Psalm 119, Pastor Craig pointed out that God's "steadfast love" is synonymous with God's grace. In what ways does God's love and grace give you comfort in hard times?
4. Read verse 77. What does the Psalmist claim is necessary for him to live? How do we pass this truth along to the next generation (example: teaching our kids blessings to say at meal time)?
5. The psalmist was ready to lead right away. How might you begin to lead right now even if the circumstances for leadership may not be perfect?
6. The greatest test of a leader is to turn around and see if anyone is following. As Christians, we have a responsibility to bring along the next generation of believers. Who are you leading (mentoring, discipling) today? Who or what kinds of people (children, teens, new believers, recovering addicts, etc...) could you begin investing your life into?
7. Family verse: Read and memorize Psalm 119:74. Talk with your family this week about how you can display your love for God to others.