

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: April 23, 2017

Psalm 119:121-128

1. How can we better understand Jesus' love for us by taking a long look in the mirror at ourselves?
2. In what ways is God's character and love of God for people revealed through the cross?
3. Read Psalm 119:124. The psalmist prayed for God to deal with him according to his "steadfast love." The Hebrew word translated "steadfast love" is similar to the Greek word we translate as "grace." Why should we desire for God to deal with us according to his grace rather than according to our actions?
4. The theme of this stanza is "The Lord is my life." In the ancient world people could only settle where there was a spring or well to provide water. How does Jesus give life?
5. In Psalm 119:25 the psalmist prays, "give me understanding." What role does the Holy Spirit play in helping us to understand the Bible? How can you pray before you read the Scriptures?
6. In verse 126 the psalmist prays, "It is time for the Lord to act." What would give him the confidence to pray such a bold prayer? What can give you confidence to pray bold prayers?
7. Family verse: Read and memorize Psalm 119:123. Talk about what it would look like to "long for" God's salvation.