

**Grace Community LIFE Groups**  
**(Based on Sermon #6)**  
**Psalm 119:80-88**

1. Here is one of the BIGGEST questions Christians and non-Christians ask: “Why does a good God allow suffering and pain?” There are many wrong answers given. Based on the message from Psalm 119:80-88, how would you answer that big question?
  
2. Why are people who try to faithfully obey God’s Word often made targets of persecution or ridicule? (Hint: I Peter 4:4-5).
  
3. Have you ever experienced the opposition Jesus described in John 15:18-25? What was it like?
  
4. How can desiring a pain-free life corrupt our prayer life? Is it wrong to ask God to remove or change something that is painful?
  
5. Can you think of something painful you have gone through that helped you grow as a Christian?
  
6. Why is Romans 8:29 the key to understanding Romans 8:28?
  
7. In this message we talked about growth being a process with a few “pinnacle moments of victory” mixed in. Find 5 other verses in Psalm 119 that remind us that God’s work in our life is a process or a journey.
  
8. How is Scripture the key to having a successful journey? Find examples in Psalm 119.