

Small Group Discussion Guide

Based on "Why Would A Loving God Send People To Hell?"

Opening Question

- What was one part of the message that stood out to you most, and why?

Discussion Questions

1. Why do you think Hell is such a difficult topic for people to talk about today? Have your views about Hell changed over time?
2. The message described Hell as "the absence of the presence of God." What does that description mean to you? How is that different from the common cultural image of Hell?
3. Jesus talked about Hell more than anyone else in Scripture. Why do you think Jesus spoke about it so often? Do you think His purpose was fear, warning, love, or something else?
4. The message says: "We're not good, but God is good." How does that challenge the way people usually think about morality and salvation?
5. Read Romans 5:8–9 together. What does this passage teach about God's love and justice? Why is grace important if "all have sinned"?
6. The speaker said: "God doesn't send us to Hell. He sent Jesus to save us from Hell." What are your thoughts on that statement? Do you agree or struggle with it? Why?
7. The story of the rich man and Lazarus showed urgency about eternity. How should thinking about eternity affect the way we live today? Does it change how we treat others or share our faith?
8. The message emphasized that Jesus came to give life, not just rescue from punishment. What do you think it means to experience the "life" Jesus offers now?

Reflection Question

- Is there anything in your life right now that may be distracting you from what is eternal?

Prayer Focus

- Pray for a deeper understanding of God's love, grace, and holiness.

- Pray for people in your life who don't know Jesus.
- Pray for courage to live with an eternal perspective.