

For Discussion:

1. What do we learn about Rahab before she meets the spies?
2. What did Rahab tell the spies she had heard about the God of Israel?
3. What actions did Rahab take that demonstrated her faith?
4. What was the significance of the scarlet cord in her window?
5. Who was saved because of Rahab's faith?
6. Why do you think Rahab believed in God when so many others in Jericho did not?
7. What is the difference between simply believing facts about God and trusting Him with your life?
8. How does Rahab's story demonstrate God's grace?
9. What does Rahab teach us about repentance and obedience?
10. How does Rahab's inclusion in Jesus' family line reveal God's heart for sinners?
11. What labels from your past are you tempted to believe define you?
12. In what ways have you seen God's grace rewrite your story?
13. Is there an area where you know what God wants you to do but you have not acted in faith?
14. What "scarlet cord" reminds you today that your hope is found in God's promise rather than your performance?
15. Are there people you've written off because of their past? How does Rahab challenge that attitude? How does Rahab's story give hope to people who think they are beyond God's forgiveness?
16. Have you believed your past disqualified you from being used by God? Why?
17. What lies about your identity have you believed that God's Word corrects?
18. What fears keep you from trusting God completely?
19. Where is God asking you to take a step of faith this week?