



"CHASING DAVID - Finding Grace When You Fall"

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INTRODUCTION

No matter where we are in our relationship with God, we are not immune to a moral failure. It's never too late to repent and turn back to God. Repentance is God's gift to us.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. **Read 2 Samuel 11:1-27.** Why do you think this story about David is in the Bible?
 - Look at the last line of verse 27. Who had David displeased?
 - **Read 2 Samuel 12:1.** What did the Lord do?
 - Are there Godly people in your life that can speak truth to you?
 - Do you ever struggle listening to them?
2. **Read 2 Samuel 12:1-7.** Why do you think Nathan dealt with David's sin by telling him a story first?
3. **Read 2 Samuel 12:8-14.** Why is it important to remember both the consequences of self-destructive behavior *and* the steps to recovery?
4. **Read Psalm 32:3-5.** Our decision to sin can literally have physical consequences. How does David say he felt during the time he tried to cover up his misdeed?
 - How did God respond when David finally confessed?
5. Read David's beautiful masterpiece, Psalm 51. What jumps out as you as interesting or revealing?
 - Look at verse 12. What two things does David request?
6. *"If all I feel when I think of God is condemnation, then I am not going to want to be near Him. But if I find joy there, I will want to follow Him."* - Rene Schlaepfer.
 - Do you agree? How have you seen this in your own spiritual walk?
7. What one thing will you take home from this story to help you in your walk this week?

COMMIT TO MEMORY

The sacrifice you desire is a broken spirit. You will not reject a broken and repentant heart, O God. Psalm 51:17

PRAY FOR EACH OTHER

Share prayer requests, and commit to praying for one another until you meet again.

FOR THOSE FOLLOWING ALONG IN THE BOOK

If you or your group has chosen to follow along using the book, hopefully you have read Chapter 6, FINDING GRACE WHEN YOU FALL. Next you will want to read Chapter 7, FINDING STRENGTH WHEN PEOPLE CAUSE YOU PAIN and then join us next weekend as continue our series.

CHASING DAVID DEVOTIONALS

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