



Small Group Discussion Questions
"Where is All Went Wrong"
Genesis 3:1-19
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Pick up any newspaper or watch any evening newscast and it quickly becomes clear that something is seriously wrong with the world we live in. This week's message, "*Where It All Went Wrong*," identifies human selfishness, pride and rebellion as the cause. May the questions and Scripture readings below guide your discussion as you examine yourself – your vulnerabilities, the results of your choices, and the freedom you have in Christ.

Warm it up

Share about a time in your life when you realized something is seriously wrong with the world we live in.

Talk it Over/Work it Through

1. Read **Isaiah 48:7**. This teaches that God has our best interests in mind. Do you believe this, or do you tend to doubt His motives and abilities at times? Be honest and explain your responses.

2. In general, would you say you tend to submit to authority or rebel against it? Read **Revelation 12:7-9, 17**. How did Satan's personal rebellion against God ultimately cause far-reaching consequences for each of us today?

3. Read Genesis 3:1-19. In what area(s) are you vulnerable to temptation? Describe an instance where you were strong, but then suddenly suffered weakness and gave into temptation. What were the consequences? How were others affected? How did you feel about your choice?

4. Read Psalm 32:5, 1 John 1:8, and John 10:10. What barriers are keeping you from confessing and turning away from any pattern of sin that prevents you from experiencing the rich and satisfying life God intends for you?

5. Why do you think we try to hide our weaknesses, failures and sins from each other and God? What does Hebrews 4:13-16 have to say about this? How can we be deceived into believing differently? In what ways can Jesus help us overcome our weakness?

Commit to Memory

So think clearly and exercise self-control. Look forward to the gracious salvation that will come to you when Jesus Christ is revealed to the world. 1 Peter 1:13

Pray it Through

Pray for one another!