

Westwood Life Groups - A Place to Belong & A Place to Grow

Life Group Leaders & Meeting Times (groups with a * meet at the Westwood building):

***11:45** - David Britton

***1:00**-Bob Deason

1:30 - Terry Boyd & Tim Deason

6:00-Byron Chambers, Tim Jennings **6:00** - *Jimmy Priestley, John Hanson, Ken Beck, Rudie Thomsen, *Mike Garrison, Brad Hillis, *Kelly Hillis

(PLEASE, CALL IN ATTENDANCE TO CHURCH OFFICE)

The Security of the Saved, #6

Introduction:

Let's answer a few more questions that have been asked since we started this series of lessons as we close out this series today.

#4 Is it Possible for me, as a Christian, to _____ in such a way that I am _____ lost? or Is _____ Saved _____ Saved True?

- Notice: Hebrews 3:1 and Hebrews 3:12; Galatians 5:4.
- Almost every book of the New Testament teaches that a **BELIEVER** must continue to believe in, and follow Christ, or else, he will be lost:
- (Matt. 25:14-30; Mark 13:13; Luke 8:13; John 15:1-5; Acts 8:13-24; Rom. 8:13; 1 Cor. 10:12; 2 Cor. 6:1; Gal. 5:4; Eph. 5:3-7; Phil. 3:12-14; Col. 1:22-23; 1 Thess. 3:1-8; 2Thess. 2:15; 1 Tim. 1:19-20; 2 Tim. 4:10; Titus 3:8; Philemon 1:5; Heb. 6:4-6; James 5:19-20; 1 Pet. 4:19; 2 Pet. 2:20-22; 1 John 5:16; 2 John 1:9-11; 3 John 1:4; Jude 1:5; Rev. 3:5).
- I believe that God is "*able to keep you from stumbling*" (Jude 24) and I believe that He will – but only if you keep believing!

#5 Is Teaching What You Have About Grace _____?

- Rom. 5:20-6:2; Jude 4
- The truth is there are always some who will use pardon for permission. There are always some who will use the forgiveness of sins as freedom to sin.

#6 Do I Have to _____ and _____ with all the Issues/Positions of the Church to be Saved and Remain Saved?

- Hebrews 11:6; Romans 6:1-5; Acts 2:22-47.
- 1 Cor. 15:1-4; Heb. 12:1-2; John 14:23; Acts 4:12; Col. 2:6.

Close...

- I hope this series of lessons on security has helped you in your walk with God.
- My prayer is that you will put your faith solely and squarely on Jesus and on Jesus alone for your salvation.
- As a believer in Jesus, allow the power, presence and promises of God the Father, Christ, the Son and The Holy Spirit to help and keep you the rest of your days - so that when this life is over you'll experience the best of life...in Heaven.

Westwood Church of Christ
Sunday Morning
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Life Group Questions

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1. We have learned over the past few lessons that God is a God of grace and mercy and that He will go to great lengths to save and secure His children. However, those children must continue to BELIEVE in Jesus. Notice Hebrews 3:1 and Hebrews 3:12 as well as some of the other passages we noticed this morning that teach this.
2. Be sure to note here that we are not talking about someone losing their salvation by “slipping up and sinning”. We are saying the danger lies in losing one’s faith in Christ.
3. It is true that some will use grace as a license to sin (Romans 5:20-6:2). But should that fact stop us from teaching the truth about it? It didn’t seem to stop Paul, did it?
4. Based on what you have learned about grace, what would you tell/teach those who are afraid of grace because they feel people can’t stay on the “straight and narrow” without a threat from God hanging over the heads? (John 14:15; John 14:23).
5. Biblically speaking, (not your opinion, tradition, etc.), what must one know in order to be saved? (Hebrews 11:6; Romans 6:1-5; Mark 16:16; Acts 2:36-41,47; Acts 8:27-39; Heb. 12:1-2; John 14:23)
6. “Issues” have seemingly always been a part of the church. Agreement or disagreement on these matters have caused major heartache and division in the body of Christ. What might we do to help remedy this and alleviate the chance of this happening in the future? (Matt. 22:37-40; Romans 14)