



The Gospel of John Forgiveness Flows | Part 37

This resource can be used to guide your personal anchoring time throughout the week, a small group discussion, or even a one-on-one conversation.

REFLECT

In the Old Testament, the Israelites sacrificed animals to demonstrate the cost of sin. Jesus, the “lamb of God,” was crucified so that forgiveness and cleansing would be available for all. He was tempted in every way yet resisted. And now, it is by His grace that you can experience healing when you confess your sins and turn to God.

- Read John 19:30-34. Why is it important to remember Christ’s humanity and sovereignty on the cross?
- Read Hebrews 2:17-18. What is significant about Jesus being fully human and experiencing temptation? Why is it hard to be honest about how you are tempted and where you sin?
- How is Jesus there and able to help you when you experience temptation or sin?
- Read John 19:35-37 and Zechariah 13:1. How is Scripture fulfilled through the piercing of Jesus? How does Jesus’ blood bring about the cleansing of sin?
- Read Hebrews 4:15-16. When God removes your sin, He counts you as pure and renews your heart. What do you need to bring before God this week in repentance so that you can experience Christ’s continual cleansing and forgiveness?

PRAY

Begin your time of prayer by reading **John 1:29**. Read it slowly. Now, use this verse to guide your prayer. To get you started...

FOCUS on Jesus’ love for you, even when facing pain and death.

THANK Jesus for the forgiveness that is found in Him.

CONFESS where you have fallen into temptation and sinned against God and those around you.

ASK the Holy Spirit to cleanse you of unrighteousness and point out blind spots in your life.

***Keep going this week by reading these scriptures:**

1 John 1:9

Romans 8:2

Lamentations 3:22-23

Acts 5:29-32

