



Unrelenting Grace

Where Grace Begins - Week 3

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.

READ

Begin by reading **Luke 15:1-7**.

- As you read, underline or highlight anything you find fascinating or confusing.
- Why are the Pharisees frustrated with Jesus? What does this tell you about Jesus?
- What questions do you have after reading these verses?

REFLECT

Reread Luke 15:1-7 aloud. This passage illustrates the math of Unrelenting Grace. For God, ninety-nine safe and saved is too few and one lost is too many. He can, will, and does pursue the lost with his unfailing love and unsparing joy. The Lord rejoices when a single person experiences his grace because he loves everyone so much!

- When in your life have you felt like the sheep that was lost? What did that feel like?
- How have you experienced the love of Christ welcoming you?
- There are times when we go astray, even after accepting Christ. What does repentance look like as God chases you down with grace? Where in your life do you need to lean into God's grace?
- Where do you need be a person that extends the grace of God this week to the world around you?
- Heaven rejoices when a sinner repents. How do you celebrate when someone in your life accepts Christ as his/her savior?

PRAY

Begin your time of prayer by reading Romans 5:5. Read it slowly. Now, use this verse to guide your prayer. To get you started...

FOCUS on the future hope you have because of Jesus.

THANK God for pouring out his love, relentlessly, into your heart.

CONFESS where you have wandered rather than standing firm in the hope of Christ.

ASK God to let you experience the love, hope, and joy of the Spirit this week.

DO

Take five minutes to write down your story - the way God chased you down with unrelenting grace to save you from your sin and show you his love and forgiveness!

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

Ephesians 6:17-18

1 Chronicles 16:11

Matthew 9:9-13

Hebrews 10:19-25

