

Sermon Discussion Questions
The Necessity of God-Centeredness in a World of Confusion
Psalm 73
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Discussion Questions

1. What is God teaching you through the study of his word in Psalm 73? Share what God is doing in you with your group.
2. Do you feel comfortable with the honesty of people's sharing their hearts when they are obviously in struggle with God in the midst of their pain? Read Proverbs 25:20. Have you done this to people who have crossed your path?
3. What do you think about the quote, "We can praise God only when we are willing to trust him with our lamentations"?
4. Once we embrace the importance of letting people feel and express their pain, how do we guide people toward growth? As you answer this, consider what led to the change in the psalmist in Psalm 73.
5. What is the difference between giving people theology on which to stand so that they can hope in the midst of distress and "throwing verses at them"?
6. If truth is the path to transformation, what role should the word of God play in our lives? As a result what should be important to us? How then should we live? Pray for one another that "the word of Christ would dwell richly in you."