



CONNECTION QUESTION

Looking back at the message, was there anything that particularly caught your attention, challenged you or confused you?

BRINGING THE BIBLE TO LIFE

> Read Genesis 4+5

Where do we see God being merciful to Cain (*not giving him what he deserves*)? Where do we see God being gracious to Cain (*giving him kindness he doesn't deserve*)? Share a time when God has been both merciful and gracious toward sin in your life.

How did God challenge you in this message to be more of a giver than a taker toward your church family? In what areas of selfishness is God calling you to repent and change?

> Read Matthew 18:21-22

Knowing Jesus is rephrasing Lamech's famous song, how does that transform your understanding of forgiveness?



> Read Hebrews 11:5-8; Jude 14-15

What do these verses tell us about Enoch's life? What do they teach us about how to live a righteous life in a godless place?

> Read Matthew 25:14-30

How does Matthew 25 clarify what giving our best looks like?

What are one or two things you are good at that God has given you?

What are you burying or holding back?

> Read Romans 12:14-20

What insight does Romans 12:14-20 give us on how to deal with conflict?

NEXT STEPS

Looking back at this week's study, what is most important for you to remember and why?