

The Heart of the Matter

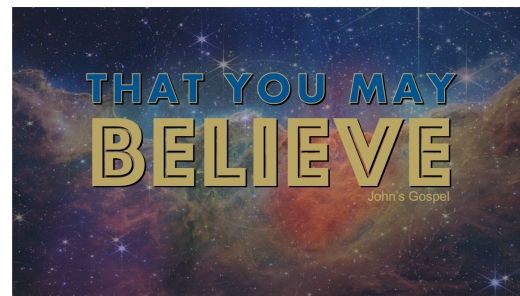
12. How does the way Jesus treated this woman help you face your sins?

13. Jesus' grace is truly amazing. Does His grace motivate you to turn away from your sin? How so? In what areas in your life do you need to "go and sin no more"?

14. What can you learn from Jesus about how to help a friend who has fallen into sin?

15. How has Jesus helped you to overcome your past failures?

Praises and Prayer Requests:



Life Group Study Guide

Amazing Grace John 8:1-11 For the Week of October 1, 2023

Getting Started

1. What insight, principle, or observation from this weekend's message did you find to be the most helpful, eye-opening, or troubling?
2. Describe a time in your childhood when someone tattled on you?
3. Describe a situation where someone you offended offered you amazing grace?

Digging Deeper

4. From this passage, how are the religious authorities trying to trap Jesus in this situation? What are the two extremes Jesus is faced with in this moral dilemma?

5. What would the Pharisees accuse Jesus of if He told them to let her go? If He told them to stone her?

6. Who do you feel the most sorry for in this situation: the woman, for being publicly humiliated? Jesus, for being put on the spot? The religious leaders, for stooping so low? Why?

7. Since adultery was a violation by both parties (Leviticus 20:10; Deuteronomy 22:22) why do you think the accusers didn't also bring the man caught in the act?

8. What do you think Jesus wrote on the ground each time he wrote? How does Jesus ultimately get out of this moral dilemma?

9. From verses 6-9, why do you think the accusers went away one by one, from the oldest to the youngest? What are some other possibilities?

10. What must the woman have felt with the rollercoaster ride of emotions she was going through as this situation unfolded in front of her?

11. What is the incredible implication of Jesus' question in verse 10? How does Jesus' response to the woman exemplify "grace and truth" (1:17)?