



Satan, Sinners, and A Savior

Luke 22:31-38

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Tips and Tricks:

The sermon notes are designed to be used as a guide for discussion. Don't feel like you have to use every question. Some questions will take a while to work through and others will be over in a few seconds.

1. Don't teach the lesson. The sermon was just preached. Just ask the questions and let everyone else talk.
2. Let other people ask questions. It's OK to go "off topic" for a while. Sometimes those conversations are more interesting anyway!
3. Have fun. Don't forget to laugh and crack up. Relationships, not curriculum, are the heartbeat of our ministry. Remember: We have to build a relational bridge strong enough to hold the truth!

Agenda for Group Time

1. Ice Breaker - Lighthearted ice breaker question (10 minutes)
2. Discussion - Bible study, sharing and application. (25 Minutes)
3. Prayer - Pray together (5 minutes)
4. Planning - Remember to talk about what's coming up.

Icebreaker

What was your first job? Do you remember how much you were paid?

How I handle guilt:

- With a trip to Target... which creates more guilt, but a different type.
- Carbs, Sugar, and Fat grams
- Put it on someone else.
- Visit my shrink.
- Other: _____

Read Luke 22:31-38

Satan's Will for Sinners

"Simon, Simon, behold, Satan demanded to have you, that he might sift you like wheat, (Luke 22:31)

Question: Why do you think Satan wanted to sift the disciples like wheat?

The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly. (John 10:10)

According to this verse, what is Satan's mission in life?

How, and where, have you seen this mission in your life or in the world?

- Relationships
- Work
- Media
- All over
- Other: _____

Question: In our text, how does Jesus respond to Satan's demand? How does Jesus' response help you today?

Skim the rest of Luke 22. Where else have you seen Satan at work in this chapter?

Question: Which disciple do you most identify with in this chapter?

- Judas- I'm a sell out
- The ones that were arguing about who's the greatest.
- Peter - I'm overconfident
- Other: _____

Why does Jesus tell the disciples that they are going to need some swords?

- Its time to fight
- They will now have enemies
- He believed in the right to bear arms
- Other: _____

Our Savior's Work

For I tell you that this Scripture must be fulfilled in me: 'And he was numbered with the transgressors.' For what is written about me has its fulfillment." (Luke 22:37)

Jesus is quoting Isaiah 53. Turn to Isaiah 53 and discuss how Jesus has fulfilled this work.

Are you able to say with confidence that verse 37 applies to you? Why or why not?

How would you explain verse 37, or Isaiah 53, to someone who has never read the bible?

Work It Out!

One thing I'll do differently because of this sermon:
