

Life Group Discussion Guide
The Gospel in the Old Testament
Fall of Man / Promise of a Savior

Read Genesis 3:1-21

General Questions:

1. What is something the pastor said during his sermon that stood out to you and why?
2. Was there anything the pastor said during the sermon that you have questions about or would like to discuss?

Main Idea: The Old Testament reveals man's need for a savior. The gospel reveals Jesus is the Savior God promised to send.

Sermon Notes:

1. Man disobeys God
2. Man tries to hide from God
3. God deals with man's disobedience

Discussion Questions:

1. The serpent casts doubt on the validity and authority of God's word in order to entice the woman to sin. Have you ever struggled to believe the truthfulness of the Bible? What biblical truth(s) do you think people struggle with today?
2. In Genesis 2:6 we see Eve "rationalizing" her choice to disobey God. What are some examples you can think of that someone might "rationalize" his/her sin?
3. This verse also tells us that Adam was "with her and he ate". Bro. Mike said, "Sin is contagious". Do you agree with that statement? Why or why not?
4. Man's reaction to his sin was shame and an attempt to hide from God. Why do you think that is the case?

5. Bro. Mike said, "Sin never leads a Christian to live out his faith more, our sin only makes us live out our faith less." Do you agree with that statement? Why or why not?
6. Read Genesis 2:14-15. In your own words, what does this mean? What is the significance of the serpent "bruising the heel" of the enmity and the enmity "bruising the head" of the serpent?
7. In your own words describe how we see the gospel in Genesis 3:1-21.