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**Life Group Homework**  
**For the week of November 13, 2022**

What did God want Israel to do when they heard this rebuke?

What does this passage teach you about God?

How do you think God wants us to respond today when we read this passage in Malachi?

Why was it so important that Jesus was the “pure and spotless Lamb of God”? Why couldn’t someone else have died on the cross for our sin?

**TAKING IT HOME**

- 7) How can you better glorify God in your life this week? (Be specific and practical)
  
- 8) What do you most need to remember or put into practice from this week’s message or homework?

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

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*\*\*This is the last week of Life Groups this year! Life Groups will resume on January 15th. Please notify your leader if you plan to stay in the same group, try another group, or take a break. If you’re not in a Life Group, we would love for you to try it out! Signups will begin January 1st.\*\**

**MY STORY**

- 1) This week we read about what was probably one of David’s favorite experiences of worship. Can you recall a favorite worship experience in your life? What was so special about that time of worship?

**QUICK REVIEW**

- 2) In your own words, what happened in this week’s passage of 2 Samuel 6:16 - 7:29?

- 3) What stood out to you from this Sunday’s message? (Favorite point, favorite verse, questions, etc)

**DIGGING DEEPER**

- 4) What stands out to you from the following passage?  
**Isaiah 43:25** - *"I, even I, am He who blots out your transgressions for My own sake; And I will not remember your sins."*

**1 John 2:12** - *"I write to you, little children, Because your sins are forgiven you for His name's sake."*

**Psalm 143:11** - "Revive me, O LORD, for Your name's sake!  
For Your righteousness' sake bring my soul out of trouble."

**Psalm 31:3** - "For You are my rock and my fortress;  
Therefore, for Your name's sake, Lead me and guide me."

**Philippians 1:29** - "For to you it has been granted on behalf  
of Christ, not only to believe in Him, but also to suffer for His  
sake,"

Based on these passages, list all of the things God does or  
allows for the sake of His name:

Why do you think it is so important to remember that God  
both *wants to bless us*, **AND** *does so for His glory*?

5) What do you think God is saying in the following  
passage?

**Isaiah 48:9-11 NLT** - "[9] Yet for my own sake and for the  
honor of my name, I will hold back my anger and not wipe  
you out. [10] I have refined you, but not as silver is refined.  
Rather, I have refined you in the furnace of suffering. [11] I  
will rescue you for my sake--yes, for my own sake! I will not  
let my reputation be tarnished, and I will not share my glory  
with idols!"

God calls Himself a "jealous God", and He shows it in the  
above passage. What comes to your mind when you  
consider that God is jealous?

In what ways should Christians glorify God in their lives?

6) Read the following passage, noting any highlights or  
questions you have.

**Malachi 1:6-14 NLT** - "[6] The LORD of Heaven's Armies  
says to the priests: "A son honors his father, and a servant  
respects his master. If I am your father and master, where  
are the honor and respect I deserve? You have shown  
contempt for my name! "But you ask, 'How have we ever  
shown contempt for your name?' [7] "You have shown  
contempt by offering defiled sacrifices on my altar. "Then you  
ask, 'How have we defiled the sacrifices?' "You defile them  
by saying the altar of the LORD deserves no respect. [8]  
When you give blind animals as sacrifices, isn't that wrong?  
And isn't it wrong to offer animals that are crippled and  
diseased? Try giving gifts like that to your governor, and see  
how pleased he is!" says the LORD of Heaven's Armies. [9]  
"Go ahead, beg God to be merciful to you! But when you  
bring that kind of offering, why should he show you any favor  
at all?" asks the LORD of Heaven's Armies. [10] "How I wish  
one of you would shut the Temple doors so that these  
worthless sacrifices could not be offered! I am not pleased  
with you," says the LORD of Heaven's Armies, "and I will not  
accept your offerings. [11] But my name is honored by  
people of other nations from morning till night. All around the  
world they offer sweet incense and pure offerings in honor of  
my name. For my name is great among the nations," says  
the LORD of Heaven's Armies. [12] "But you dishonor my  
name with your actions. By bringing contemptible food, you  
are saying it's all right to defile the Lord's table. [13] You say,  
'It's too hard to serve the LORD,' and you turn up your noses  
at my commands," says the LORD of Heaven's Armies.  
"Think of it! Animals that are stolen and crippled and sick are  
being presented as offerings! Should I accept from you such  
offerings as these?" asks the LORD. [14] "Cursed is the  
cheat who promises to give a fine ram from his flock but then  
sacrifices a defective one to the Lord. For I am a great king,"  
says the LORD of Heaven's Armies, "and my name is feared  
among the nations!"