

WHAT IS A CHRISTIAN?

WEEK SIX

OPEN

1. Have you ever had a nasty habit that you had to get rid of? What was it?
2. Are there things even now that you know you need to stop doing or get rid of as habits in your life?

DIG

1. Read John 12:24-26
 - What point is Jesus making with this parable about His own life?
 - So are we supposed to imitate Jesus' example of dying? How does that work?
 - How is dying to yourself different than dropping a bad habit?
 - How does dying to ourselves make us more like Jesus?
2. Why did God make it so that we had to die to ourselves - why can't we live for ourselves?

SHARE

1. Our culture believes that you need to be true to who you are inside and that will bring you peace and happiness. How does that square with what Jesus is saying here?
2. What if dying to yourself actually ruins all your future plans? What do you do then?
3. What is the hardest thing for you to surrender to God?

PRAYER

As a group, pray that you can turn your life over to God and die to the thing that is most difficult to die to.



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A Great Article about what dying to the self looks like
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