

Restored!

(John 21:15-25)

1. Be **HONEST** - with God and with myself, because He **KNOWS** my heart. (*1 Samuel 16:7; Jeremiah 17:10; Psalm 19:14, 44:21, 51:10, 94:11, 139:2; Proverbs 21:2*)
2. We have to face our **FAILURE** before we can move **FORWARD**. (*Luke 22:31-34; 1 Corinthians 10:12; Psalm 73:26; Romans 3:23-24; James 1:2-4; Hebrews 12:1-2; 1 Peter 5:10*)
3. In **LESS** of my strength and **MORE** of His, be obedient to His **CALL** for my life! (*John 3:30; Colossians 1:29; 2 Corinthians 3:5; Jeremiah 7:23; Philippians 2:12*)
4. Our chief aim is to glorify Jesus with our **LIFE** and in our **DEATH**. (*Philippians 1:21; 1 Corinthians 10:31; Matthew 5:16; Psalm 115:1; Revelation 4:11; Colossians 3:17,23*)
5. Instead of looking at **OTHERS** (to the point of distraction), may we keep our focus on **JESUS**. (*Isaiah 26:3; Colossians 3:1; Philippians 3:13-14; Galatians 1:10; Deuteronomy 5:32-33*)



Taking it further to help you **THRIVE...**

[The Spring session of THRIVE Groups starts back up the week of April 4th.
For more info on joining a THRIVE Group, visit thrivekg.org/thrive-groups.]

1. Looking back at your notes from this week's teaching, was there anything that particularly caught your attention, challenged, or confused you?
2. When Jesus asked Peter, "Do you love me...?", Peter replied each time, "Lord, *you know* that I love you." Regardless of how Peter would have replied, Jesus knew his mind and heart. We might be able to 'hide' from others, but there is no point in trying to hide something or to pretend with God. What are the dangers of doing so? What are the benefits of being honest with God?
3. In restoring Peter, Jesus was saying more to him than just "you're forgiven." What did Jesus ask Peter to do from this point forward in his life? What evidence do we have from Scripture that indicates Peter did this? What might Jesus be asking of *you* from this point forward in *your* life?
4. After Jesus told Peter to follow Him (v.19), Peter turned around and saw John and started asking questions about John. How did Jesus reply to Peter? What is Jesus trying to teach Peter here? What is the application of this lesson in *our* lives?

