

The Denial of Peter

Luke 22:54-62

- We are _____

- Failure is _____

QUESTIONS FOR FURTHER DISCUSSION:

1. Have you ever done something you said you would never do? If so, share with the group.
2. Peter had some great experiences with Jesus and saw Him do amazing things. What are some of the positive experiences you've had with Jesus? i.e., what are some things you have seen Jesus do in your life?
3. Read Luke 22:54-62. In what ways are you like Peter? Share a failure you've had in your Christian walk and what you learned from it.
4. James mentioned pride, prayerlessness, self-willed impulsiveness, and isolation as part of Peter's story. Which of these do you struggle with the most?
5. How do you think Christ looks at you when you fail? i.e. With disgust, frustration, anger, compassion, etc.
6. How does the rest of Peter's story give you encouragement and hope?
7. Discuss the following statement by Tim Keller- "The gospel is this: We are more sinful and flawed in ourselves than we ever dared believe, yet at the very same time we are more loved and accepted in Jesus Christ than we ever dared hope." Do you see this truth in this passage?