

FROM THE BIBLE

Genesis 2:16-17 (NIV)
Genesis 3:7 (NIV)
Genesis 3:21 (NLT)
Exodus 12:21-23 (NIV)
Matthew 26:17-19 (NIV)
Matthew 26:26-28 (NIV)

MESSAGE TO CONVERSATION GUIDE

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1. We started off this message with Joel saying that when something wrong happens to us, everyone believes somebody's gotta pay. How's that play out if someone runs into your car, is mean to your kid, or takes the last piece of cake and you didn't get any?

- 2. Why is communion meaningful or important to you?
- 3. Read Genesis 2:16-17, 3:7, & 3:21. What wrong was done? How did Adam & Eve react? What price was paid for what they did wrong?
- 4. In Genesis 3:21, God killed an animal (likely an innocent lamb), to pay for Adam & Eve's sin. What does this say about the seriousness of sin?
- 5. Joel said, we can't live up to God's standards perfectly because we can't even live up to our own standards. What do you think this means? Can you give an example?
- 6. There's always a way out from God's judgement. Read Exodus 12:21-23 & talk about the way out God offered His people in Egypt
- 7. After Passover, God told the Israelites to celebrate and remember passover, every single year to remember what God did for them. What did they have to celebrate that every Jesus follower can celebrate during communion?
- 8. At the Last Supper, Jesus was celebrating Passover but He changed it for all of history & for ever person. Read Matthew 26:26-28 with the mindset that somebodies got to pay for your sin. How does it impact you that *Jesus paid it all*?
- 9. What impact did this message have on how you view & celebrate communion?