

## **Sitting in Sin Without Staying in Sin**

A Sermon on Ezra Chapter 9

### **What Ezra ISN'T Saying in Ezra Chapter 9:**

1. Marriage is \_\_\_\_\_ for everyone.
2. Racism is \_\_\_\_\_ in some situations.
3. There is no \_\_\_\_\_ when you sin.

### **What Ezra IS Saying in Ezra Chapter 9:**

1. Compromise is \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Reconciliation requires \_\_\_\_\_.
3. No \_\_\_\_\_, no salvation.

### **What Ezra Chapter 9 Shows Us Modern Readers:**

When sin surrounds us, and we indulge... We should:

1. G\_\_\_\_\_ it!
2. Get serious about \_\_\_\_\_!!
3. G\_\_\_\_\_ onto God's \_\_\_\_\_!!!

### **Further Resources:**

Pastor Mike has written a one-page explanation further showing how Ezra Chapter 9 is ***not*** an instance of racism or ethnocentrism.

You can pick that up from the Sermon 2.0 table if interested.