



New Series - "The Favor Factor"

HOPE GROUP STUDY - Week of March 22, 2026

Let's review this week's message!

1 Let's Talk & Pray

If you could instantly receive "favor" in one fun or random area of life, what would it be?" Pray together for the group time after everyone has shared."

2 Let's Review the Main Idea

The Favor Factor is about understanding that God's favor (grace) is not earned - it's given. God blesses us not because of what we do, but because of who He is. Favor can seem like a contradiction because it is undeserved and often unexplained, but it works together with faithfulness. God knows the distance between where we are and where He is taking us. He begins shaping our lives with a "framework" of favor, even before we see the full picture. Favor is not just about blessings - it's about transformation.

This week's points were:

- Favor gives you ACCESS
- Favor gives you an ADVANTAGE
- Favor gives you ALIGNMENT

3 Let's Read the Word

Ephesians 2:8 & 4:7; Hebrews 4:15-16 & 11:3

4 Let's Think

- Why do you think favor can feel like a contradiction to people?
- If God's favor is unearned, why do you think He still calls us to be faithful and obedient? How do those two things work together?

5 Let's Share

- Have you ever experienced something good in your life that you knew you didn't earn or couldn't explain?
- Where in your life have you recently seen God's favor at work? How can we keep from taking the credit for ourselves?
- What area of life right now feels like it needs God's favor the most? Where do you feel like you've been thinking small instead of stepping into what God has for you?

6 Let's Grow

- How has your understanding of grace changed over time? Why?
- What would it look like for you to live with the mindset of "I am favored by God"? What mindset do you need to let go of?
- What keys (peace, prayer, trust, etc) do you need to start using more consistently in your life?
- What "mountain" in your life do you need to speak to and believe God will move through His favor?

7 Let's Pray

- Pray together for God's help in current challenges and struggles and for hearts to be faithful to walk in alignment with His will.

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