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- 4) Read Romans 8:3-4. What does this tell you about your need to "measure up to God"? In what way is this hard for you to accept? In what way do you need to apply this truth to your life? How is this truth "Good News" today?
- 5) Read Hebrews 10:19-22. In what way does Jesus give us access to God? What accomplished this for us? How does this make you feel?
- 6) Read 1 Timothy 2:5. In what way is Jesus "the bridge" between God and people? What implications does this have for you and your IC?
- 7) What aspect of Christ's mediating work is most significant to you today and why is this the case?
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SEQUOIA NOTES

Today's Sequoia @10:10 Message

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With Ryan Dawson - Lead Pastor

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Ecclesiastes 3:11b [God] has planted eternity in the human heart, but even so, people cannot see the whole scope of God's work from beginning to end.

As a mediator for Israel Moses secures...

- **Freedom from Slavery and Death.**

Exodus 5:1-2

- **Promises from God.**

Exodus 6:6-8

- **Provision for the journey.**

Exodus 17:5-6

- **Requirements of the Law.**

Exodus 19:5-6

Deuteronomy 10:12-13

- **Access to a Holy God.**

Exodus 19:10-12

- **Jesus is the "True and Better" Moses.**

Big Idea: Trusting in Jesus as our Mediator is the bridge to the gifts secured by His mediating work.

- **Jesus frees us from slavery and death.**

Romans 8:1-2. So now there is no condemnation for those who belong to Christ Jesus. ² And because you belong to him, the power of the life-giving Spirit has freed you from the power of sin that leads to death.

- **Jesus fulfills the promises of God.**

2 Cor. 1:20

- **Jesus provides life in all its fullness.**

John 10:10 (AMP) The thief comes only in order to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have and enjoy life, and have it in abundance [to the full, till it overflows].

- **Jesus fulfills the requirements of the Law on our behalf.**

Romans 8:3-4

- **Jesus grants us access to our holy God.**

Hebrews 10:19-22 And so, dear brothers and sisters, we can boldly enter heaven's Most Holy Place because of the blood of Jesus. ²⁰ By his death, Jesus opened a new and life-giving way through the curtain into the Most Holy Place. ²¹ And since we have a great High Priest who rules over God's house, ²² let us go right into the presence of God with sincere hearts fully trusting him. For our guilty consciences have been sprinkled with Christ's blood to make us clean, and our bodies have been washed with pure water.

I Timothy 2:5 "For there is one God and one mediator between God and humanity, Christ Jesus, Himself human, who gave Himself—a ransom for all, a testimony at the proper time."

The Translation of the Bible Scriptures used in today's 10:10 service are from the New Living Translation (NLT) and the Amplified Bible (AMP).