

# LIFE GROUPS

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Read Psalm 73:1. Is God good to those who love Him?
2. Read Psalm 1. Does this passage seem to teach that if you follow God you will be blessed, and if you do not follow God you will suffer? Is the teaching of Psalm 1 the same as what you observe in life?
3. Read Psalm 73:2-16. What caused the author of Psalm 73 to doubt God's goodness?
4. Who do you know who lived a life contrary to God's will yet seemed to live a charmed life? Who do you know who has lived for God yet lived a difficult life?
5. Read Ephesians 6:12. Who is our "real" enemy?
6. When has your belief that God is good and in control of your life been shaken?
7. Read Psalm 73:17. What brought about the change in the author's perspective?
8. When have you had a change in perspective after wrestling with the goodness of God?
9. Read Psalm 73:18-28. Describe what it means to have an "eternal perspective."
10. Why is a person who knows the Lord's goodness compelled to tell of God's good deeds (verse 28)?
11. Read Acts 7:59-60. Stephen was a man saved by God and used to share the gospel to the world, yet he was killed for his faith. What was his heart toward his "enemy?"
12. What needs to change in your perspective? Who do you need to share with about the goodness of God (the gospel)?



### When Your Enemy Succeeds

Psalm 73

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