



# Asking for a Friend (Week 4)

Understanding and Breaking Generational Curses

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LAS LOMAS COMMUNITY CHURCH WEDNESDAY NIGHT STUDY WWW.LASLOMASCC.COM

# Before the Bible study,

 Please watch/listen to last Sunday's message at laslomascc.com/media

What's one thing about this week's message that stood out to you as something you needed to hear OR a question you had about the message?

# KEY POINTS FROM THE SERMON

- THE ORIGIN AND REALITY OF GENERATIONAL CURSES
- THE POWER OF REDEMPTION AND BREAKING THE CURSE
- LIVING IN FREEDOM AND CREATING A NEW LEGACY

# DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

#### Read Exodus 34:6-7

- How do you interpret the concept of generational curses based on Exodus 34:6-7?
- In what ways do you see the effects of generational sin in today's society?
- Reflect on Romans 5:12.
  - How does Adam's sin demonstrate the reality of generational sin?
- Considering your family history, can you identify any recurring patterns of sin or negative traits?
  - Our How have they impacted you?

### Read 2 Chronicles 33:1-2, 6, 10-13

- How does Manasseh's story demonstrate the possibility of redemption despite severe sin?
- What steps did Manasseh take that led to his redemption?
- How can we apply Manasseh's experience of humbling oneself and seeking God to our own lives?

## Read 2 Kings 22:11 - 13 & 2 Kings 23:25

- What actions did Josiah take upon discovering the Book of the Law?
- How did Josiah's reforms impact the nation of Judah?
- In what ways can rediscovering and following God's word transform a person's life and legacy?

# LIVING IT OUT

This week we tackled the question about generational curses and redemption. It's important to integrate these truths into our daily lives. This week take practical steps to help you break free from negative patterns, embrace God's redemption, and create a new legacy for future generations.

- <u>Monday</u>: Reflect on Exodus 34:6-7. Identify any sins or negative patterns in your family history. Pray for wisdom and strength to break free from these patterns.
- <u>Tuesday</u>: Meditate on Romans 5:12. Acknowledge your own sinful nature and ask God for mercy and forgiveness.
- <u>Wednesday</u>: Study 2 Chronicles 33:1-13. Consider areas in your life where you need redemption like Manasseh. Pray for a humble heart and a desire to seek God.
- <u>Thursday</u>: Read 2 Kings 22:11, 13. Commit to discovering and obeying God's word like Josiah. Plan to incorporate regular Bible study into your routine.
- <u>Friday</u>: Focus on 2 Kings 23:25. Think about practical steps you can take to lead your family in faith, such as starting a family prayer time or Bible study.
- <u>Saturday</u>: Reflect on the changes you've made throughout the week. Thank God for His guidance and ask for continued strength to live out your new legacy.



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