

# **SERMON DISCUSSION GUIDE**

“5 Questions on Life’s Journey” – Pastor Chad Gilligan

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**1) What do you picture when you imagine heaven?**

Read Luke 19:10 – “For the Son of Man came to seek and save those who are lost.”

**2) Do you ever wonder what your purpose in life is?**

**3) What have you learned about your purpose throughout your walk with God?**

Read Romans 5:6-9 – “When we were utterly helpless, Christ came at just the right time and died for us sinners. 7 Now, most people would not be willing to die for an upright person, though someone might perhaps be willing to die for a person who is especially good. 8 But God showed his great love for us by sending Christ to die for us while we were still sinners. 9 And since we have been made right in God’s sight by the blood of Christ, he will certainly save us from God’s condemnation.”

**4) Why is this passage important when understanding salvation?**

**5) What scripture or book of the Bible helped you understand salvation better?**

Read Ephesians 2:8-9 – “God saved you by his grace when you believed. And you can’t take credit for this; it is a gift from God. 9 Salvation is not a reward for the good things we have done, so none of us can boast about it.”

**6) Why do you think people have a hard time believing that salvation is given by grace through faith and not works?**

Read Romans 10:9-10 – “If you openly declare that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. 10 For it is by believing in your heart that you are made right with God, and it is by openly declaring your faith that you are saved.”

**7) What has God specifically asked you to do to help spread the gospel?**

**8) How would you encourage someone who is scared to share the gospel?**

**Prayer:** Take time to pray for those who received salvation this past week.