

SERMON SERIES: FLIP THE SCRIPT

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Key Line

“Father forgive them.”

Introduction

Last week we started a new sermon series called Flip the Scripts where we read Matthew 26 talking about the Last Supper and The Garden of Gethsamane. This week we read Luke 23 to acknowledge how Jesus responded in a way that shows us a better way to live.

- When was maybe a time that someone did something that surprised you?

Seek the Word

Read Luke 23:32-34

- From these verses, why did Jesus choose to respond in this way after being tortured, mocked, and beaten?
- What does this say about who Jesus is?

Read John 8:2-11

- How does Jesus teach us to love one another at this moment?

Read Colossians 2:13-14

- What does this say about our habits to hide our sins?
- What does God say about the things that you have hidden for so long?
- What is He asking us to do with those habits?

Read Romans 5:8

- Why does Paul remind us of this truth in his letter to the Romans?

Talk About It

- How do you think you would react if you were in Jesus' position (John 23)?
- How do you think you would have responded if you were a person among the crowd during the time that Jesus (John 23)?
- What could it look like to believe that Jesus is able to lead with grace and follow with truth for all the things that are going on in life? (Help you to become unstuck from the situation you find yourself in...)
- What would it look like to continuously respond to situations and people the way that Jesus did?

Wrap Up

Reminder: “God is good, wants good for our lives, not throwing rules our way, he is throwing better direction.”

Challenge: Allow God to help you change your direction and respond in love even in hardship.

