

Power Struggle October 21, 2018

John 18:25-19:16

1. The Miscalculation of Power

John 18:33 John 18:37

2. The Misuse of Power

John 18:38 1 Samuel 18:5-8 Galatians 5:26

3. The Transformation of Power

John 19:10-11 1 Corinthians 1:17-18

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"Our greatest fear should not be of failure but of succeeding at things in life that don't really matter."

-Francis Chan

- 1. What does a powerful person look like in our culture? How does a person obtain this kind of power?
- 2. Why do the religious leaders believe they have the power to demand Jesus be crucified? Why does Pilate believe he has the power to carry it out? From where does their power actually come?
- 3. How do you exert power in your life? At home? At work? At church?
- 4. How does Jesus actually exert His power?
- 5. What needs to change in you so that you display your power the same way Jesus did?