Catalyst Group Discussion Questions - Hosea 3:1–5 Week of October 2, 2011

Chapter three of Hosea is one of the most amazing chapters in all the Bible. Here God instructs Hosea to go find his wayward wife, purchase her out of her slavery and adultery and love her again. What God was calling Hosea to do is exactly what He has done for wayward sinners like us. He came after us, purchased us back and loves us!

Discussion

• How do you frequently, tangibly display your love for those you really love? How would someone else know you loved them?

Examination

- What is startling about God's command to Hosea in verse one? How would you respond if you were Hosea?
- Why does Hosea tell us how much he paid to get Gomer back?
- What was the purpose of Hosea's instruction to Gomer in verse three?
- How is Hosea three a picture of the gospel for all people?

Application

- How does this passage make God's love for you more real?
- What can you expect to experience as a result of being a recipient of God's love?
- How will you respond to seeing God's love for you?
- How has God spoken to you as a result of studying Hosea three?



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Love that will not let me go.

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Hosea 3:1–5 Love That Redeems Spiritual Adulterers Pastor Jeremy Writebol

God's love is seen and experienced in the complete _____ and _____ of sinners back to Himself through Jesus Christ.

1. The Object of God's Love: _____, Faithless Sinners (v. 1)

2. The Action of God's Love: ______ Us Back To Himself (v. 2)

3. The Result of God's Love: ______ and Exclusivity to Him (vv. 3-4)

4. The Hope of God's Love: ______ and Experiencing His Goodness (v. 5)

5. The Response to God's Love: ______ and Embrace Him!

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