

LESSON THREE: CLEAN (PSALM 51: 1-10)

LAST WEEK WE TALKED ABOUT BEING A BELIEVING WORKER FOR JESUS. WHO REMEMBERS THE BIBLE WORDS WE STUDIED? ("BELIEVE ON THE LORD JESUS CHRIST - ACTS 16:31) WHO SAID THESE WORDS? (PAUL & SILAS) (TODAY, TONIGHT) WE ARE GOING TO LEARN THAT WE SHOULD BE CLEAN WORKERS FOR JESUS.

LET'S BEGIN OUR LESSON BY TALKING ABOUT THE WORD "SIN." "SIN" MEANS TO DO WRONG, TO DISOBEY GOD. ADAM AND EVE (THE FIRST PEOPLE ON EARTH) SINNED. EVERY PERSON SINS. THE BIBLE TELLS US, "FOR ALL HAVE SINNED AND COME SHORT OF THE GLORY OF GOD." (ROMANS 3:23)

WHEN JESUS DIED ON THE CROSS, HE DIED TO TAKE AWAY THE SINS OF EVERYONE IN THE WHOLE WORLD THAT BELIEVES IN HIM AND TRUSTS HIM AS THEIR SAVIOUR AND FRIEND. (HEBREWS 9:28a; I PETER 1:18-19; I PETER 2:24)

WHEN SOMEONE IS SAVED, JESUS TAKES AWAY THE SIN AND MAKES THEIR HEART CLEAN AND GOOD. WHEN SOMEONE IS SAVED, JESUS TAKES SPECIAL CARE OF THEM AND KEEPS THEM SAVED FOREVER. A SAVED

PERSON HAS A CLEAN HEART FULL OF LOVE.
BUT A PERSON CAN STILL CHOOSE WHETHER
TO THINK GOOD THINGS OR BAD THINGS. A
PERSON CAN STILL CHOOSE WHETHER TO DO
GOOD THINGS OR BAD THINGS. JESUS WANTS
US TO ALWAYS OBEY HIM AND DO GOOD
THINGS, BUT HE LETS US CHOOSE WHETHER
TO DO GOOD OR BAD. (PHILIPPIANS 4:8)

THE BIBLE TEACHES US MUCH ABOUT
THE MAN DAVID. DAVID WAS THE YOUNG
SHEPHERD BOY WHO FOUGHT AND KILLED
GOLIATH THE PHILISTINE GIANT. ALSO,
DAVID WAS CHOSEN BY GOD TO BE THE NEW
KING OF ISRAEL. (I SAMUEL 17, I SAMUEL
16:1-13)

DAVID WAS SAVED. DAVID BELIEVED IN JESUS
AND TRUSTED IN JESUS AS HIS SAVIOUR AND
SPECIAL FRIEND. SOMETIMES, THOUGH, DAVID
DID WRONG THINGS. WHEN DAVID SINNED,
HE PRAYED TO GOD AND ASKED GOD TO
FORGIVE HIS SINS.

WHEN ANY SAVED PERSON SINS, HE IS STILL
SAVED, BUT HE NEEDS TO ASK GOD TO FORGIVE
HIM. WE CAN ASK GOD TO FORGIVE US,
LIKE DAVID ASKED GOD TO FORGIVE HIM.
(PSALM 51:1-10)

DAVID STUDIED AND LEARNED THE WORDS
OF GOD. DAVID TOLD GOD, "THY WORD HAVE
I HID IN MINE HEART THAT I MIGHT NOT SIN

AGAINST THEE." (PSALM 119:11) WHEN DAVID
REMEMBERED GOD'S WORDS, THOSE WORDS
HELPED DAVID LOVE AND OBEY GOD. THE
BIBLE WILL HELP YOU TOO!

BIBLE WORDS TO REMEMBER:

"CLEANSE ME FROM MY SIN"
(PSALM 51:2)