



WEEK 3

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Introduction:

Who is God? Who am I? These are two questions we have probably all asked at some point. What we may not take the time to realize is that the answer to the first question is the key to answering the second. The more we know about God, the more we will know about ourselves. For the next few weeks, we will be exploring some core truths in our series: *I AM*.

Scripture:

2 Corinthians 5:15-17 - "He died for everyone so that those who receive his new life will no longer live for themselves. Instead, they will live for Christ, who died and was raised for them. So we have stopped evaluating others from a human point of view. At one time we thought of Christ merely from a human point of view. How differently we know him now! This means that anyone who belongs to Christ has become a new person. The old life is gone; a new life has begun!"

For More, Read & Discuss 2 Corinthians 5

Discussion Questions:

1. What part of your life has been most changed by following Jesus?
2. How would you define "being holy?"
3. Would you call yourself holy? Why or why not?
4. We may not consider ourselves to be holy, but God does. What step do you need to take to begin seeing yourself and others as holy?
5. How could a new perspective, one where we regard ourselves and others as holy, impact the way we treat ourselves? How could it impact the way we view and act towards others?

Take the Next Step:

Bob Goff has said, "Our problem following Jesus is we're trying to be a better version of us, rather than a more accurate reflection of Him." This week, how can you begin to reverse that trend in your life?