

Life Church Message 2011-04-03 - Questions and Answers

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- **Introduction**

- **Bible Reading:**

- OT Timeline:
- OT Contemporary Books:

- **Life Group Material (repeated from 3/27/2011)**

- **Life Group Word Material**

These are sample discussion questions / topics. Your life group leaders may choose to adjust these questions, substitute new ones, or spend the Word section of the meeting in a different way altogether.

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- **Matthew 5:27-30**

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- **Discussion Questions:**

- Do you really desire to overcome lust? Why?
- What are some of the physical and emotional responses to lust?
- What are some things you can do to overcome the temptation to lust?
- What do you plan to do the very next time you begin to experience the temptation to lust?
- Evaluate your Plan: Did your plan work?

- **Scriptures For 3/27/2011 Life Church Sermon**

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Matthew 11:29

29 Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.

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Proverbs 23:7

7 for he is the kind of man who is always thinking about the cost. “Eat and drink,” he says to you, but his heart is not with you.

Romans 12:1-2

12:1 Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God’s mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God — this is your spiritual act of worship. **2** Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God’s will is — his good, pleasing and perfect will.

Mark 9:42

42 “And if anyone causes one of these little ones who believe in me to sin, it would be better for him to be thrown into the sea with a large millstone tied around his neck.

Proverbs 6:25-29

25 Do not lust in your heart after her beauty or let her captivate you with her eyes, **26** for the prostitute reduces you to a loaf of bread, and the adulteress preys upon your very life. **27** Can a man scoop fire into his lap without his clothes being burned? **28** Can a man walk on hot coals without his feet being scorched? **29** So is he who sleeps with another man’s wife; no one who touches her will go unpunished.