



Student Notes

Facing Fears with Faith

Peace: *“a sense of calm and quietness, even in the face of adversity, based on one’s trust in God”*

I. Fear Is a Natural Human Response to a _____ World. (Genesis 3-4)

Sin: *“the lack of conformity to, or transgression of, the law of God”*

a. When sin entered the world, _____ . (Genesis 3:9-10)

b. Because of the fall, we lost our _____ with God. (Genesis 3:23-24)

c. Because of sin, _____ happen, and people do _____. (Genesis 3:14-19; Genesis 4)

II. God Can Use Our Fears for His _____.

a. Fear can _____ us that things are not as they should be. (Genesis 3:7-10)

b. Fear can _____ us back to a right standing with God. (Genesis 3:15; John 3:16)

III. Fear the _____ (Psalm 111:10; Ecclesiastes 12:13)

Fear of the Lord: *“a reverence for God that changes the way we live”*

Sticky Statement

When we feel afraid, we can face our fears with faith.



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Small Group Discussion Questions

What is your biggest fear?

When you are faced with a scary situation, how does knowing that God is with you make a difference?

What does it mean to fear the Lord?

What is one thing that you know you'll probably face this coming week that scares you, and how will you face that fear in faith?

Next Steps

How will you be a “doer of the Word and not a hearer only” (James 1:22)?

Please complete the following sentence: “As a result of hearing this lesson, I will...”