

## Faith Group Questions

### *Refined by Fire (Part 4): Refined by Suffering*

1. Share a story about your worst injury or about a major surgery you've had.
2. Write down at least one gospel truth and one challenge you took away from Sunday's message?
3. Read 1 Peter 3:8. In which of these 5 areas is God calling you to grow the most?
4. Read 1 Peter 3:9-14. Why does God want you to respond to evil with good?
  - a. Describe a personal situation where God is calling you to pray for, bless, or do good to someone who is causing you suffering.
5. Read 1 Peter 3:15-16. In the overall context of 1 Peter 3:8-22, why would someone ask a Christian about their lifestyle?
  - a. If someone asked you why you have hope, how would you respond?
6. Read 1 Peter 3:17-18. Think about Christ and how he innocently suffered for you. How does this give you perspective as you suffer for doing good?



# ***Car Conversations***

1. What was the last decision you had to make? Was it difficult to make a “good” choice? Why or why not?
2. Why can only the goodness of God erase the bad things you’ve done? How has God been good to you? List as many ways as possible in one minute.
3. Repeat together: *“The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control” Galatians 5:22-23.* In His goodness, God has prepared good works for you specifically to do. What good can the Spirit do through you this week to point someone to our Good God?