

Flourish or Flounder

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Make It Real

Because of what Jesus has done for me and what I have heard today . . .

- I will turn from my sin and trust Jesus to forgive me, make me acceptable to the Father, and give me new life.
- I will confess and work to put off the things I am doing that make life harder for myself and others. (Which ones? What will you specifically do?)
- I will work to grow by putting on the things that will make life brighter for myself and others. (Which ones? What will you specifically do?)

Personal observations from the message.

1. How would you summarize what you learned in a sentence or two?
2. What was something you didn't know or were reminded of?
3. What point or verse did you find most helpful? Why?
4. What is a question you have?
5. What can you share with someone? Who can you share it with?

Discussion questions from the message.

1. What do Proverbs 13:15b and Proverbs 4:18 teach us when put side by side?
2. How do the actions that make life harder impact others in unique ways? (How does moral compromise impact others differently than marital strife . . .)
3. How do the actions that make life brighter impact others in unique ways?
4. Which of these from both the harder and brighter lists have impacted you significantly.
5. If you gave advice to a young mom or dad, which of these points would you especially emphasize? Why?