



Leading People into a Growing
Relationship with Jesus Christ!

Antioch CELEBRATION Message: "Letting Go of Guilt"

Sermon Series: "Letting Go"

Dates: January 21-22, 2017

Suggested Conversation Starter (10 minutes)

What is a memorable wish you made at some point in your past?

LEARN / live / love / lead (10 minutes)

As you:

READ Acts 16:16-34

Point out when the Philippian jailer:

- Came clean and admitted his need
- Humbly (and actively) believed in the Lord Jesus
- Demonstrated sincerity by heading in a new direction (what did he do?)
- Immediately expressed his faith by being baptized

learn / LIVE / love / lead (10 minutes)

Speculate on how the Philippian jailer's life changed in the days, months, and years following his salvation. How do you think his life changed?

Where are YOU in that process? Do you still need to come clean, actively believe, demonstrate sincerity, or express your faith? If you have, how has YOUR life changed as a result?

learn / live / LOVE / lead (10 minutes)

When Peter wrote his “wish” for believers, it went like this:

“May God give you more and more grace and peace as you grow in your knowledge of God and Jesus our Lord.” **2 Peter 1:2 (NLT)**

What love surprises you more?

- God’s love for the Philippian Jailer
- Paul and Silas’ love for Jesus to sing praises in prison
- Paul and Silas’ love for their tormentor
- The Philippian Jailer’s love for Jesus in his choice to repent and be baptized
- The Philippian Jailer’s love for Paul and Silas in treating the wounds he inflicted

What about Jesus’ love for you means the most?

learn / live / love / LEAD (10 minutes)

What aspect of Jesus’ love are you going to:

- 1) actively show this week?
- 2) describe to someone this week?

Pray! (10 minutes)

Share with your Life Group which means more to you at this point in your life: God’s GRACE or God’s PEACE.

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