

Home Group Discussion Questions



This study guide is designed to help you apply Sunday's message. Join one of our sermon-based Home Groups in order to do this study together. Visit crosspointsr.org/homegroups to find a group for you!

1. Share an example of a time in your life where pride caused you to make a wrong decision. How long did it take you to realize it? What were the results?

2. Read 1 Chronicles 21:1 and 2 Samuel 24:1-10. Pastor Mike explained on Sunday that God was using the temptation of David by Satan here to judge Israel. What does this show about God's control in the world?

Does Satan's tactic surprise you? Why or why not?

3. Do you think David was prideful? What do you think is going on in 2 Samuel 24:10?

4. Read 2 Samuel 24:18-25. What is David's response to Araunah's offer of land and sacrifice? Why did he respond this way?

5. Think: Why is sacrifice the antidote to pride? How is this a fitting repentance for David's sin?

6. What success have you recently gone through in your life? Do you tend to respond with extra thankfulness and devotion or find yourself forgetting God?

Why is it so easy to forget God when things go well?

7. In what ways does pride, by its very nature, interfere with God's will?

How seriously does God take pride? What disciplines in life help us avoid the traps of pride?

Spend time pray for each other, in your home group, for needs that are shared and for your hearts to avoid pride but instead to humbly follow God in your personal lives and in the lives of those surrounding you.