

CONNECTION GROUP
Red Letter- Week 2

Did Jesus Go to Hell after his death on the cross? Was it necessary? Why or Why Not? Luk3 23:46; John 19:30; 1 Peter 3:18-20; Ephesians 4:8-9.

What is Paradise? Where is paradise? Did the thief on the cross immediately go to paradise at death? (Luke 23:43; 2 Corinthians 12:4; 5:8; Phil 1:23; Revelation 2:7)

Why is the story of the thief so important toward understanding salvation? What did the thief do to earn paradise? (Luke 23:33-43)

Do you think it was divinely appointed for God to die between two thieves? (Isaiah 53:12) Why or Why not? How can the example of the two thieves, relate to everyone? How are believers challenged by the two thieves on a daily basis?

What is the most important lesson you learn from the story of Luke 23:33-43? What will you do in light of this story?

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Further Reading: Related to Paradise and Eternity

- Luke 16:19-31
- 1 Corinthians 15
- Ephesians 4
- 1 Peter 3
- 2 Corinthians 12

Memory Verse: Hebrews 4:14-16