

A HARD ROAD

Faithfulness in all areas of life *from the book of Hosea*

Week 6

Key Scripture

Hosea 14:4-9

Open

1. What is the first thing you think of when you hear the word, "repent?" Why do you think we have so much baggage behind this word?
2. Do you feel like you have repented in your life? How so?
3. Why is repentance important if it is by grace that we are saved?

Dig

1. Read Hosea 14:4-9 as a group - what catches your attention in these verses and why?
2. As a group, look at Luke 15:11-24 - is this about repentance or did the young man just get tired of pain? Is there a difference?
3. Does repentance always have to be a major, life-altering decision?

Take Further

1. Are there areas in your life where you need to 'come home?' What are those areas?
2. If coming home begins with a step - what is one step you need to take to begin your repentance this week?
3. Who can keep you accountable to your decisions?

Prayer

Pray that this group can keep each other accountable to staying true to God.