

## HOME GROUP QUESTIONS: 8-7-16 James 5 – Righteousness

James 5:1-20

1. Have you ever been persecuted or ridiculed for your belief in Jesus?
2. Are you a lover of the world, a lover of Jesus ... or maybe both? How would Jesus define success?
3. What is God's heart for the wealthy and the poor?
4. What two things does God hate? (those who exploit the poor and what we worship/idolize) Why does He hate these things?
5. What can we do to fulfill God's heart? Why does James tell us to be patient?
6. Why do we wrestle with being comfortable or being fulfilled in doing what Jesus did?
7. What does it mean to let your "yes be yes and your no be no"?
8. Do you see others set apart by God? Are you set apart by God?
9. How can sin impact health? What role does righteousness play? How does the Lord speak to you ... gently or with a 2x4?
10. How is your prayer life? Are your prayers about you or do you pray for others?
11. What does it mean to pray earnestly?
12. How is the Lord stirring your heart today? What part is He asking of you?