

# Life Group Questions

## Getting Started

1. What are some of the things you would do if you knew Jesus was coming to your home?

- Would you take more time preparing your heart or home?

## Sermon

2. In 1st century Israel, people commonly grouped together “tax collectors and sinners” (see, for example, Luke 5:30). What types of people might we automatically connect with sinners nowadays?

## Scripture

Read Luke 19:1-10

3. These verses are all we know about Zacchaeus? So, what do we know? Describe Zacchaeus, his life, his hopes, his desires?

- Why would a man like this seek to see Jesus?

4. How do you think Jesus knew Zacchaeus' name?

5. Why do you think Jesus said that he **MUST** stay at Zacchaeus' home that very day?

- What risk did Jesus take in doing this? What were the implications of this action to the bystanders? To Zacchaeus?

## Study

Look again at Luke 19:9

6. Explain why each statement is exactly what Zacchaeus needed to hear:

- “Today salvation has come to this home.”

- “He also is a son of Abraham.”

## Taking It Home

7. What does “seeking the lost” look like in your life?



**Small Change**

Luke 19:1-10  
Sermon Notes

8. Zacchaeus did not only respond to Jesus with a change of heart, but with a change of actions and lifestyle. What has or should change in your life as a result of Jesus coming into your home?

Zacchaeus was a \_\_\_\_\_ man

A \_\_\_\_\_ man was he

**Prayer**

How can your Life Group be praying for you this week?

**Prayers for Rolling Hills:**

- The victims, families and friends of the Sutherland Springs, Texas, church shooting
- Pray for a couple upcoming "Welcome Home" events:
  - "An East Bay Thanksgiving" Celebration and Potluck, Sunday, November 19
  - "Polar Express Pajama Party" Movie Night, Saturday, December 2

Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ loves people the world doesn't

**Announcements**

- Sunday, November 19, 10:30am-1:00pm, at Rolling Hills: "An East Bay Thanksgiving" Celebration and Potluck
  - I'll be bringing (enough for 16)
    - salad
    - stuffing
    - carb side dish
    - veggie dish
    - dessert

Real salvation means real \_\_\_\_\_