



DGM Message Summary: Beyond Forgiveness Pt. 4

Key Points:

- Ephesians 2:1
 - In the scripture, dead simply means a departure from what once was
- Genesis 2:17
 - First use the word dead: just because something dies doesn't mean it no longer exists
 - In fact, we have to take out the old to make room for the new
 - Adam and Eve still existed after they ate the fruit, but they lost their spiritual power
- Ephesians 2:13
 - Jesus came to give us back that spiritual connection we lost with Christ
 - God is now accessible everywhere we go and we can experience his living presence
- Psalm 46:1
 - God is our refuge and strength; a very "present" help in the time of trouble
- Ephesians 2:1
 - We are now made alive and can go into the most holy place
- Ephesians 2:3
 - Without the help of the holy spirit, we are bigoted, biased and against so many things and we don't even know why
 - People are walking in darkness because God has not turned back on the light that went dim; however, it can be turned back on when we accept Christ and stop living like soul-ish people
 - By nature, we were children of wrath but he continued to let us live
- A lot of us adorn ourselves in makeup, but their hasn't been a change on the inside because we are not worshipping him in spirit and truth
- 2 Peter 1:3
 - Everything we need to live powerful lives was placed in us when God changed our lives and we were born again
 - But if we don't know our inheritance, we won't stop the devil from stealing it
- 2 Peter 1:4
 - We have mega promises that are too big to even fathom; (more precious than anything in this world)
 - Through these promises, we may be partakers of the divine nature
 - Our essential problem is not a behavioral problem, but a problem of our nature
 - Once the nature changes, the behavior changes

- Ephesians 2:3
 - As Adam passed since through grace in Christ, he passed righteousness
 - At one point, we all indulged in the flesh and were rushing toward ruin, but God...
 - Our sins will never exhaust God's grace (although they could block you from wanting to repent)
 - The depth of God's love is unfathomable
- Ephesians 2:4
 - We were by nature hopeless, but God!
 - These two words are the best explanation of the Gospel
 - Genesis 50:20
 - I Samuel 23:14
 - Psalm 73:6
 - Daniel 2: 27-28
 - Matthew 19:26
 - Acts 13: 29-30
 - Romans 5:7
 - Romans 6:23
 - I Corinthians 10:13
- Even when were dead in trespasses, he made us alive in Christ
- When you put faith in Christ, the tomb on the inside of you is empty because you are saved by grace
- The potter not only forgives us for our sins, but becomes the glue that puts our broken pieces back together (even though we don't deserve it)