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Study 6

Praying Our Confessions: A Study of Psalm 32 Part 2

1. How are we to confess?
2. What does "taking full responsibility" in confession involve? Contrasting it with common human tendencies.

3. What is "homologos" in confession, and why is this understanding crucial?

4. Differentiate between "grief" over sin and "self-pity," providing an example from the text to illustrate your point.

b) Reflection Question - What is our confession like in light of this understanding?

5. What does the phrase "changing your hiding place" mean in confession?

b) Where should a believer find their true hiding place?

6. How do we reconcile the tension between "unconditional forgiveness" for believers and the need for ongoing confession?

7. How does the "sanctification cycle" contribute to a believer's spiritual growth?

8. How does understanding the depth of one's sin impact a believer's faith, confidence, and joy?

b) Reflection Question - What about us? How well do we understand the depth of our sins?

9. Why is it that a person who truly understands the gospel can receive criticism about their sin without an "inadequate response"?

10. What is the danger for those who deny the need for continual confession, like the "Bob George Ministries" view?

Takeaway

Our Lord Jesus Christ's death and resurrection has completed the work in dealing with the penalty of our sins.

Resting in that and continually running to Him as our hiding places frees us from the burden of carrying the guilt and reacting.

Truly understanding that freedom enables us to truly live for Him.