

SERMON DISCUSSION GUIDE

FEBRUARY 27, 2022



ICEBREAKER

Do you own western gear? Will you go to the Rodeo this year? Are you a country music fan?

READ

Psalm 34:18, Psalm 147:3-6 and Proverbs 13:12

QUESTIONS

How was sadness expressed in your home growing up? How would I know if you were sad, or would I?

Patrick mentioned desertion, bereavement and poverty as causes for brokenheartedness. Which of those have you experienced, or how have you been hurt in other ways?

READ

Psalm 23:4 and John 16:33

QUESTIONS

What are some healthy ways Patrick mentioned that help us face this kind of hurt?
(Acknowledge the pain, tell someone, remember the truth – God knows, God is working, Come Clean, Count Your Blessings).

What are some things that have helped you? How has God shown up in your pain?

READ

James 1:2-4, 1 Thessalonians 5:11 and 2 Corinthians 1:3-4

QUESTIONS

What are some signs that we are healing from our wounds and struggles? ([Able to help others, our faith grows](#))

Tell about an opportunity you've had to help someone else out of your own painful experience?

PRAYER: How can this group pray for you this week?

Thank you, Lord, for your faithfulness and care for us. We pray for comfort, strength and hope for those of us who are in a season of hurt and pain right now.

We also pray for all of the people in Ukraine who are suffering.

We put our faith and trust in You. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

LEADERS:

We are offering a 3-week class called Money Matters that begins March 9th. It will give you all the tools to build a budget that works for you. For those interested, you can learn more at rpc.me/groups.