



LIFEGROUPS

Series: *At the Cross*
Message: *Belonging*

Scriptures: Romans 8:15-17

Date: March 10 & 11, 2018

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So far in this series, *At the Cross*, we have been shown that the cross transforms our lives and relationships. Christ's work on the cross provides us freedom, forgiveness, endurance and a proper self-image. This weekend's message is about "belonging". Have you ever asked yourself where you might belong? What were the circumstances and what else happened?"

—[LET'S TALK]—

1. Have someone in the group read Romans 8:15-17 aloud. If you have placed your faith in Christ, you are a child of God! Take a moment to think of how amazing that statement is and write down some of the descriptors that come to mind. Share your list.
2. Take another look at verse 15. What is the significance of the term "sonship" in this passage? The term "Abba" is similar to saying "Daddy" or "Papa". Find a partner and explain to each other how being a child of God is not just a position of significance but a personal relationship.
3. What does it mean to be "heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ"? What will be our inheritance? Belonging to God's family, you can never unbelong. How does that make you feel? Just for fun, take a minute and discuss what it may have been like to grow up with Jesus as a brother when He was here on earth.

