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A DIFFERENT GOSPEL  
Discussion Guide

### BIG IDEA

Which gospel do your actions show that you believe? Do you believe a life with God is based on your best efforts or is based on what Jesus has already done? In this message, Pastor Daniel explains that the true gospel requires Jesus and nothing else. We can never get to God by our own efforts, but by falling in love with Jesus, resisting condemnation, and making the choice every day.

### SCRIPTURES USED IN THE MESSAGE

- Galatians 5:22-23
- Galatians 1:6-7
- Genesis 2:8-9, 16-17
- Genesis 3:1-7
- John 5:39-40
- Romans 5:8
- 1 John 4:19
- 1 John 5:3, 12
- John 14:15
- Romans 8:1-2
- Deuteronomy 30:19

### TALK IT OVER

Choose questions that keep the discussion moving. No need to discuss every question.

- In what ways can we be living our faith according to our best efforts instead of the grace of God? How will your life change if you shift your focus from what you do to what Jesus has already done?
- How do you perceive God? How do you believe your perception affects your relationship with Him?
- What is the difference between an attitude of "I've got to" and "I get to" in your relationship with God and others?
- What does condemnation mean? How can we stop allowing it to happen?
- What do you do to get to know someone? What choices can we make every day to grow our love for Jesus?

### APPLICATION IDEAS

- Pastor Daniel gave 3 ways to live in the Tree of Life: 1) Fall in love with Jesus, 2) Don't allow condemnation, and 3) Make the choice every day. Which of these do you need to improve on first? What is the first step you will take?

### PRAYER FOCUS

At Lifepoint, we pray until something happens. Make time in every group meeting to pray for one another and the larger matters of concern to your group.

- Commit to praying for one another to fall in love with Jesus, resist condemnation, and make the choice every day to choose life.

### LEADER TIPS

- Encourage different points of view to be expressed during your discussions. Be respectful and don't argue. Promote researching what the Bible says on the topic. Be willing to agree to disagree.