

## GREEDY FOR GLORY

Read Genesis 11:1-9. What is the story's context? What is the story's purpose?

How is this story a demonstration of God's grace?

- The heart of their rebellion was seeking their own glory
- God is jealous for His glory (Isaiah 42:8)
- Only God is worthy of glory (Revelation 4:11)
- Their pursuit was a deviation from their design
  - We are not designed to pursue our glory!
  - We are designed to give God glory in all we do!  
(1 Corinthians 10:31)
- They disobeyed God's command (Genesis 1:28, 9:1)
  - God still accomplished His plan (Genesis 11:9)

How do we try to make names for ourselves?

How can we give God glory in all we do?

## FOR PERSONAL STUDY:

### Application

1. Will you surrender your efforts to look important or be admired? How can you prevent yourself from forming a goal for your glory?
2. When pride starts taking over this week, *stop yourself in your tracks!* Invite the Holy Spirit's conviction, and plead for help in prayer!

### Memorization

1. Memorize and meditate on Isaiah 42:8.
2. Review Jeremiah 17:9.
3. Challenge: Memorize all of Psalm 8 throughout this study. (Psalm 8:3 this week)

### Preparation

1. If you could ask one thing from God, what would it be? What do you suppose God's greatest blessing is to us?
2. What one attribute of God do you think we are most called to reflect?