

**Title:** Getting Right with God  
**Subtitle:** The Impact of Repentance  
**Text:** Luke 19:1-10  
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## 1. Be Glad \_\_\_\_\_

(vv.1-5)

## 2. Rejoice \_\_\_\_\_

(vv.6-7)

## 3. Joyfully \_\_\_\_\_

(vv.8-10)

## Luke 19

**1** He entered Jericho and was passing through. **2** And behold, there was a man named Zacchaeus. He was a chief tax collector and was rich. **3** And he was seeking to see who Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not, because he was small in stature. **4** So he ran on ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him, for he was about to pass that way. **5** And when Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down, for I must stay at your house today." **6** So he hurried and came down and received him joyfully. **7** And when they saw it, they all grumbled, "He has gone in to be the guest of a man who is a sinner." **8** And Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, "Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor. And if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I restore it fourfold." **9** And Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, since he also is a son of Abraham. **10** For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost."

## APPLICATION QUESTIONS

1. Read **2 Corinthians 5:21**. Describe some of the more obvious changes that are produced by God in a person's life when he or she encounters true biblical repentance?
2. Read **2 Corinthians 7:8-11**. What is the difference between "godly grief" that "produces a repentance that leads to salvation" and the sort of "worldly grief" that doesn't? What are some of the practical reasons people might give for being grieved about their sin but never repenting?
3. Read **Isaiah 55:6-7**. Describe the kind of resolve and determination that God ignites in one's life when God "draws near" to the penitent? What was your experience like in this regard?
4. Read **1 Timothy 1:12-17**. What would you say to a new Christian who struggles to believe that their sins have been forgiven?
5. Read **Ephesians 6:5-9**. What impact does it have on your daily decisions to see everything you do - at home, at work, at leisure - in light of your service to Christ?