

GOD PERFECT

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

MAIN VERSE: JAMES 4:12 NLT
**“God alone, who gave the law, is the Judge.
He alone has the power to save or to destroy.”**

- 1. What does it mean that God is the ultimate Judge, and why can that be a scary thought?**
 - **Reflect on James 4:12 and the reality that God alone has the power to save or destroy. How does this truth impact how we view our lives and our relationship with Him?**
- 2. How do our human judgments differ from God’s perfect justice and judgment?**
 - **Consider how we often judge with bias, perspective, or even evil hearts. How is God’s judgment different, and why is it perfect?**
- 3. What is God's perfect justice, and why does it feel unsettling to think about?**
 - **Think about God’s ability to make right everything that is wrong. Why does His judgment seem scary, especially when we are aware of our own brokenness and sin**
- 4. How does the story of the judge and his friend illustrate God’s justice and mercy?**
 - **In what ways does the judge’s decision to pay his friend’s debt represent what Jesus did for us? How does this help us understand God’s perfect justice and love for us?**
- 5. How does knowing that you will be judged by the One who has already paid your debt affect how you live today?**
 - **In light of 2 Corinthians 5:10, how does the truth that you’re not judged for heaven or hell but for how you lived in Christ shape your actions and priorities? Who can you share this good news with today?**