

# Message Notes

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**Bible Focus:** 1 Peter 2:21-25

**Current Series:** Between 2 Worlds (A Study in 1 Peter)

**Message Title:** "In His Steps" Means This

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**1 Peter 2:21-25** - *To this you were called, because Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example, that you should follow in his steps.* <sup>22</sup> "He committed no sin, and no deceit was found in his mouth." <sup>23</sup> *When they hurled their insults at him, he did not retaliate; when he suffered, he made no threats. Instead, he entrusted himself to him who judges justly.* <sup>24</sup> *He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; by his wounds you have been healed.* <sup>25</sup> *For you were like sheep going astray, but now you have returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of your souls.*

1. Say \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

✓ For the sake of \_\_\_\_\_

2. Say \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

✓ For the sake of \_\_\_\_\_

## Questions for Reflection and Discussion

1 Peter 2:21-25

1. How has the book *In His Steps* or the WWJD bracelet impacted your life before today?
2. How could the contextual connection of Jesus' suffering give you a "greater good" perspective when you suffer?
3. How does Jesus' response to unjust suffering give you hope or cause you concern?
4. How willing are you to speak out for Christ when you sense doing so might be met with resistance or rejection?
5. In what obvious ways will saying yes to righteousness benefit your soul?
6. Why is the healing of our souls of concern to the Lord? On a scale of 1-10 (with 10 as high), how important has seeing your soul healed been to you in the past?
7. How does knowing the Lord restores our souls "for His name's sake" give you hope and incentive for trusting the Lord with every aspect of your life?
8. The thing you want to remember and live in light of from this message focus is....