

Talk About | Session Seven



Amazing Grace

Video 1

Peter Hollens feat. Home Free – Amazing Grace

Questions 1

What is the overall theme of the song?

Which lines or sections stand out to you, and why?

Are there any lines or sections you don't fully understand, and why? *(If there are, briefly try to discuss these as a group and explain them to each other).*

Questions 2

There are several verses to Amazing Grace that we (at Ebenezer) don't usually sing; share your thoughts about these and their omission.

Each verse follows the pattern of introducing a key theme and then finishes by reconciling this with Jesus' sacrifice; what is the effect of this?

Ephesians 2:1-10 explains the grace God has for us; are there any other verses of scripture which reinforce the words of the hymn?

Video 2

Chris Tomlin – Amazing Grace (My Chains)

Questions 3

What is the purpose and effect of adding the new chorus to the hymn?

Tomlin presents the metaphor of sin as chains; how does this emphasise the power of God?

Are there any other comparisons or comments you wish to make?

Notes

Use this space to make any notes throughout the evening.