

## COMMUNITY GROUP HOMEWORK

The week of October 9<sup>th</sup>

*\*\*Last week's sermon & this homework can be found at [gbcmt.org/sermons](http://gbcmt.org/sermons) or on the GBC App*

1. Read 2 Chronicles 33:1-7. Describe the heritage that Manasseh received from his father Hezekiah. (See 2 Chron. 31:20-21)? \_\_\_\_\_  
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  2. Explain this quote from GK Chesterton, "When we cease to worship God we don't worship nothing...we worship anything!" \_\_\_\_\_  
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  3. Just as Manasseh influenced the whole nation of Judah into wickedness, how can sin in one person's life affirm sin in another's? \_\_\_\_\_  
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  4. Proverbs 13:15 states that "the way of a transgressor is hard." What does this mean? How is this statement true of Manasseh, and in your own life? \_\_\_\_\_  
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  5. In spite of the grace shown Manasseh, how did his sin still have long-term repercussions for the people of God? \_\_\_\_\_  
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  6. Do you think that one day we will see Manasseh in heaven? \_\_\_\_\_  
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  7. How could a righteous, just God forgive those who murder their own babies? \_\_\_\_\_  
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  8. Whom in your life do you consider to be the most hardened sinner that is the furthest from Christ? In light of the sermon, what should be your attitude toward them? \_\_\_\_\_  
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  9. How does the sin in your life compare to the sin of Manasseh? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- For Deeper Study:**
10. How can we understand Proverbs 13:15 in relation to people who live wicked lives and yet seem to prosper in this life? For example Psalm 73:3-5 \_\_\_\_\_  
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## THE STORY OF AN UNLIKELY CONVERSION

2 Chronicles 33:1-17

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon: **"The Story of an Unlikely Conversion."** All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. It is never too late to start doing what?
2. Psalm 86:5 says that God is ready to do what?
3. Satan likes to get people to believe what lie?
4. While we are still alive and have breath in our lungs, it is never too late to do what?
5. The Kingdom of Israel divided into two Kingdoms after whose reign?
6. Which kingdom had no godly kings?
7. When was the Northern Kingdom wiped out?
8. After David, who was one of the godliest men to sit on the throne of David?
9. Manasseh and Hezekiah shared a co-regency for how many years?

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10. How old was Josiah when he became king?
11. Manasseh was how old when he became king of Judah?
12. Who was the evilest and wicked king the nation of Judah ever knew?
13. The first reason why it SEEMS like Manasseh was beyond any shadow of hope is because he squandered what?
14. In what year, as king, did Hezekiah start turning the nation of Judah back to the Lord?
15. Prior to Hezekiah's kingship, people of Israel hadn't celebrated what in 16 years?
16. What resulted when the nation of Israel turned back to God?
17. What did Manasseh do with his godly heritage?
18. The second reason why it SEEMS like Manasseh was beyond any shadow of hope is because he exchanged what?
19. Manasseh built altars to whom?
20. Manasseh looked for truth and answers for life in what?
21. When you cease to worship God, what will you worship?
22. A third reason why it SEEMS like Manasseh was beyond any shadow of hope is because he committed what?
23. Part of the worship of Molech involved what sacrifice?
24. Was Manasseh your average unbeliever?
25. A fourth reason why it SEEMS like Manasseh was beyond any shadow of hope is because he did what?
26. Sin loves what?
27. A fifth reason why it SEEMS like Manasseh was beyond any shadow of hope is because he rejected what?
28. It's in the heart of God to want all men to be what?
29. When it comes to the issue of sin, what principle applies?
30. Manasseh refused to listen to the word of God, so God stepped in and did what?
31. Proverbs 13:15 says that the way of the transgressor is what?
32. How did the story of Manasseh end?
33. The consequences of sin are extremely what?
34. What is one of the major reasons why God used Babylon to destroy the nation of Judah?
35. The key to change involves what?
36. Who can the Lord redeem?
37. Some may be beyond the shadow of people's hope, but they are never beyond the what?
38. What verse tells us that our High Priest knows what it is like to be all alone?
39. Where do you turn in your heartache and pain?