

DISCUSSION GUIDE

Life in 6 Words – OUR Sins Separate us From God

'So the Lord God banished him from the Garden of Eden to work the ground from which he had been taken. After he drove the man out, he placed on the east side of the Garden of Eden cherubim and a flaming sword flashing back and forth to guard the way to the tree of life."

Genesis 3:23,24

- 1. Our sins separate us from God.
 - Greg described sin as an attack on God's character. How would you explain this?
 - What does it mean to miss the mark of perfection? Have you ever thought that you were capable of hitting the mark?
- 2. Our sin separates us from who we were created to be.
 - How is sin a violation of our calling to be the image of God?
 - Greg mentioned several different ways that teenagers might try to cover their shame (sports, social media personas, religion, etc.). How can we lovingly draw students away from these "fig leaves" and into the loving presence of God?
- 3. Our sins separate us from each other.
 - Have you seen any examples of this reality in your own life?
 - How can we start to build bridges where sin has pulled us apart?