

bullseye

Bullseye - Week Two: Honesty: Coming Home

Connect

Did you make New Year's resolutions this year? What are some you have made this year?

Grow

1. **Read Luke 15:11-20a.** What sticks out most to you in these verses?
2. Jon talked about having an AHA moment:
 - a. A - awareness: coming to our senses.
 - b. H - honesty: evaluate our surroundings.
 - c. A - action: stop playing the victim card and own our sin.
3. Have you had your AHA moment? If not, what is holding you back?
4. Think of the picture of a bullseye. What words are in your outer circle? Is the word *freedom* in your inner circle?
5. Which of these 3 paths do you tend to use to deal with pain?
 - a. Repress the pain.
 - b. Rehearse the pain.
 - c. Release the pain.
6. Do you believe that God can use your pain for good? Why or why not?
7. Are you making excuses for why you can't get free from your pain? What are you going to do this week to get free?

Pray

Ask God to help you be bold enough to take a step to release the pain from your past. Pray that God would take your pain and use it for something good in the future.

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This week, take a step to release that pain by sharing with a trusted friend or a counselor.