



A NEWSPRING CHURCH MESSAGE SERIES

# DR. JESUS

4 SESSIONS WITH THE  
WONDERFUL COUNSELOR

## WEEK #4: I'M LOST

### INTRODUCTION

What if you could make an appointment with Jesus to talk about what you're going through? While he was on earth, it was his mission to meet with people one-on-one and help them with their struggles. He listened, understood, and offered guidance unlike anyone else. And the wisdom he shared then is still changing lives today. The Bible calls him the Wonderful Counselor. Step into his office for four sessions that could transform the way you live.

### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Read Romans 7:21-25. Paul describes an internal battle between wanting to do right and doing wrong. When have you most related to Paul's struggle? What was happening in your life?
2. The sermon mentions sheep drift by following *"the next patch of grass"* or *"the others around them."* Which of these two tendencies do you struggle with most? Can you give a recent example?
3. Read Proverbs 14:12 and Isaiah 55:8-9. Why do you think the *"me path"* seems right even when it leads to death? Share a time when your way seemed right but ended poorly.
4. Read John 10:27-29. Jesus says this about his sheep: they *"listen to my voice."* How do you recognize Jesus' voice? What practices help you hear him more clearly?
5. The sermon closes with a reminder to get *"as close to Jesus as you can, as fast as you can."* What specific steps can you take this week to move closer to Jesus?
6. What was your biggest takeaway from the message, and why?

### SCRIPTURE & TAKEAWAYS

Isaiah 53:6a, 55:8-9 / Romans 7:21-25, 11:33, 12:2 / John 10:11-15, 10:27-29, 14:6 / Matthew 16:24-25 / Proverbs 3:5-6, 14:12 / James 1:5-8 / Mark 6:34a / 1 John 2:15-17 / Luke 9:23 / Hebrews 3:7-8 / Galatians 5:22-23 / Psalm 119:57-60 / 1 Peter 2:21-25 / Revelation 1:8b.

1. We get lost at the intersection of two paths: the *"Jesus path"* and the *"me path."*
2. Human tendency: to try to take both paths.
3. Sheep don't get lost because they're *"dumb."* Sheep get lost because they drift.
4. When Jesus calls, listen.
5. Expect resistance from the old you and do the uncomfortable right thing.
6. Get as close to Jesus as you can, as fast as you can.