

5. How do you feel about that contrast?

SERIES: Journey to Easter; Lent

SERMON: Resistance

TEXT: Luke 13:31-35

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6. Jesus clearly states that resisting God leads to death, "a desolate house". How have you experienced disobedience or resistance to God leading to death?

Lent is the _____ before the _____ of Easter

7. Where do you feel **resistance** against God's call – his voice – in your life the most?

The Pharisees resist Jesus to protect their

King Herod resists Jesus to protect his

8. What is one step you could take today to move forward in obedience?

Jerusalem resists Jesus to protect their ability to

9. Looking back over this week's sermon, reading and study, what is one thing that is crucial for you to remember and apply?

How can I stop resisting God and let myself be gathered under his wings?

Corner/Hem & Wing are the same word in Hebrew

The Lord repay you for what you have done, and a full reward be given you by the Lord, the God of Israel, under whose wings (כַּנָּפִי – kanaf) you have come to take refuge!
Ruth 2:12

Guard me as the apple of your eye, hide me in the shadow of you wings (כַּנָּפִי – kanaf).
Psalm 17:8

Be merciful to me, O God, be merciful to me, for in you my soul takes refuge; in the shadow of your wings (כַּנָּפִי – kanaf) I will take refuge until the destroying storm has passed.
Psalm 57:1

Let me abide in your tent forever, find refuge under the shelter of your wings (כַּנָּפִי – kanaf).
Psalm 61:4

For you have been my help, and in the shadow of your wings (כַּנָּפִי – kanaf), I sing for joy.
Psalm 63:7

He will cover you with his pinions, and under his wings (כַּנָּפִי – kanaf) you will find refuge; his faithfulness is a shield and buckler.
Psalm 91:4

But for you who fear my name, the sun of righteousness shall rise with healing in its wings (כַּנָּפִי – kanaf).
Malachi 4:2

The Lord said to Moses, “Speak to the people of Israel, and tell them to make tassels on the corners (כַּנָּפִי – kanaf) of their garments throughout their generations, and to put a cord of blue on the tassel of each corner (כַּנָּפִי – kanaf). And it shall be a tassel for you to look at and remember all the commandments of the Lord, to do them, not to follow after your own heart and your own eyes, which you are inclined to whore after. So you shall remember and do all my commandments, and be holy to your God. I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt to be your God: I am the Lord your God.”
Numbers 15:37-40

SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE

Please complete this study on your own, then bring it to your small group for discussion. Make sure you read Luke 13:31-35 first.

1. Looking back over your notes from this week’s sermon, what particularly caught your attention, challenged, or confused you?
2. How are you preparing to celebrate Easter this year?
3. The pharisees resist Jesus to keep their hypocrisy hidden, King Herod resists to protect his privilege and power, and Jerusalem because of their idolatrous hearts. Which can you relate to the most?
4. How do you think the listeners felt as Jesus contrasted himself as a mother hen, the prey, against Herod, the fox?