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**Humiliation Time**
John 7:1-13

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1. Welcome back to weekly Growth Groups!  God has blessed this summer through the various ministries at Lakeside.  We want to know how you are doing personally, and your Growth Group is specifically designed to have you share with a group of like-minded believers who are a part of the group to be mutually encouraged and provide accountability. So, come to your GG prepared to share what God has been doing in your life this past summer.  Share at least one spiritual blessing and one area of difficulty with your group:

2. Read John 7 (Pastor will take the next three Sundays to preach through it) and write down any observations about Christ, about the claims Christ makes, and include the people's response to Christ.  After noting these observations - come up with one step God's Spirit is encouraging you to take based on your study of John 7.  Be prepared to share that with your group:

3. Pastor highlighted the importance of the Feast of Tabernacles (Booths/Ingathering/Sukkot) to what was occurring in John 7.  Do a personal Bible study on the Feast of Tabernacles from the numerous passages of Scriptures I have listed and then write down any personal insight you gained that will be of practical value to your personal walk with Christ:

   • John 7:10,11
   • Leviticus 23:33-43
   • Numbers 29:12-39
   • I Kings 8:1-3; 65,66; I Kings 12:32,33; Ezra 3:4; Nehemiah 8:13-18 (These are references to when it was observed in the Old Testament)
   • Zechariah 14:16-19 (The whole world will celebrate and observe the Feast of Tabernacles during the earthly reign of the Messiah)
   • John 1:14 - "He dwelt amongst us" the word for that in the original is the word for "He tabernacled amongst us" = What is the significance of Jesus tabernacling on earth?

Connection Card Next Steps: Memorize John 15:19
I desire to follow Christ more deeply by using my time, talent, and resources through the various ministries at Lakeside Fellowship.
I commit to following Christ at the expense of my personal comfort and my personal reputation; please pray for me to that end.