

## **Justification** **Joshua Harris**

### Prior to the meeting:

Encourage the ladies of your group to listen again to Carolyn's message.  
Available at:

[http://www.covlife.org/static/resources\\_for\\_care\\_group\\_leaders](http://www.covlife.org/static/resources_for_care_group_leaders)

### Optional Get to know you Question:

1. After hearing the skit, what "Mom moment" in your life came to mind?

### Discussion Questions:

#### Galatians 2:16

2. Josh defines justification as acceptance before God. How did listening to this message deepen your understanding or appreciation of justification?
3. In the message, Josh talks about "howifeelianty." What did he mean by this? How would you say this shows itself in your life?
4. Recently, have you been more aware of the work that you have before you or the finished work of Christ on your behalf?
5. How can we as a group be praying for you in the area of mothering? (ex. Are you tempted toward sinful comparison, discouragement, pride, etc?)

### Prayer:

End you time reading through Galatians 2:16 again and the attached words of "Before the Throne of God Above". Then pray together for God to change your hearts and deepen your reliance on the finished work of Christ on your behalf. If there were any specific, timely prayer requests mentioned, please pray for those ladies.

Before the throne of God above  
I have a strong, a perfect plea:  
A great High Priest, whose name is Love,  
Who ever lives and pleads for me.

My name is graven on his hands,  
My name is written on his heart;  
I know that while in heaven he stands  
No tongue can bid me thence depart  
No tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair,  
And tells me of the guilt within,  
Upward I look, and see him there  
Who made an end of all my sin.

Because the sinless Savior died,  
My sinful soul is counted free;  
For God, the Just, is satisfied  
To look on Him and pardon me  
To look on Him and pardon me

Behold him there, the risen Lamb  
My perfect, spotless righteousness,  
The great unchangeable I am,  
The King of glory and of grace!

One in himself, I cannot die  
My soul is purchased by his blood  
My life is hid with Christ on high,  
With Christ, my Savior and my God  
With Christ, my Savior and my God