



## **Message Outline**

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2 Corinthians 3:6-18

# **Getting Over Weariness**

Series: **Get Over It**

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*Some have deepened their relationship with God during the pandemic. Others have struggled to keep faith. But everyone is weary. How do we get over weariness? Not just any weariness, but specifically, how do we get over weariness of the soul?*

## **PARTIAL FAITH makes you weary**

2 Cor 3:4-15

**Because you have a faraway God with hard laws,  
and it leads to an insecure faith that fades with time.**

## **FULL FAITH helps you thrive**

2 Cor 3:4-16-18

**Because you have an indwelling God with liberating laws,  
and it leads to a secure faith that grows with time.**



## **HomeGroup Questions**

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1. Think about your early life as a believer. Some describe their journey with God as starting with great excitement and enthusiasm only to have it wane with time. Others say they started out reserved, but then their spiritual passion grew. How would you describe your journey?
2. This week's message addresses getting over weariness — especially weariness of the soul. Read 2 Corinthians 3:6-18 and review the outline. What stood out for you?
3. Paul contrasts the New Covenant with the Old Covenant in this section. Make a list of the differences between the two below:

### **OLD COVENANT**

### **NEW COVENANT**

4. Read Exodus 34:29-35. It is often mistakenly said that Moses wore his veil whenever he was with the Israelites. But according to Exodus 34, when DID Moses wear it? And when DIDN'T he wear it?
5. If all we had was the Exodus 34 passage above, what would we be left to believe about WHY Moses wore the veil? What does 2 Cor. 3:13 add to our understanding? What do you think was Moses' reasoning for not wanting the Israelites to see the fading glow of his face?
6. Using the outline as a guide, in your own words, explain how the factors below could lead to spiritual weariness?
  - a. Viewing God as faraway:
  - b. Seeing God's law as hard:
  - c. Feeling spiritually insecure:
7. Again, using the outline as a guide, in your own words, explain how the factors below could lead to spiritual revival?
  - a. Realizing God indwells us:
  - b. Seeing God's law as liberating:
  - c. Feeling spiritually secure:
8. Where are you feeling spiritually weary right now? How can your group pray for you? Take some time to pray for one another.