

SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY · STUDY SHEET

Movement IV · Unmet Needs Become Chaos

Cain

The series question: "*And who is my neighbor?*" (Luke 10:29)

GENESIS 4:7 If you do well, is there not exaltation? And if you do not do well, sin is crouching at the door; and its desire is toward you; but you should rule over it.

READ ALONG: Genesis 4:1-16

Follow along

1. What does God ask Cain in verse 6, and what does he warn him about in verse 7?

2. What does Cain answer when asked where his brother is?

3. Why did an offering matter so much in that world?

4. When have you felt passed over while someone else was praised?

5. How does rejection turn into rage at someone who did nothing to you?

6. Is it possible that God's warning to Cain was also a kindness?

7. Who is your Abel, the one you resent for being accepted?

Leave them with

THE ONE QUESTION

What is crouching at your door?

- 1. Whose acceptance are you still trying to earn?
- 2. Whose keeper are you, even if you would rather not be?

The empty chair. Every week one chair at our table stays empty. It is for the person you would never invite.

Notes
