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# START TALKING | (Find a conversation starter for your group)

Have you ever been kicked off of a team, out of a club, out of the house, or out of school?

Have you ever felt like crawling into a hole, never to return? Maybe you gave up the winning run in a baseball game or hit the wrong note in your orchestra solo? Other?

### START EXPLORING | (Read the Bible)

Read Luke 22:31-34, 54-62

- How would you describe Peter's personality?
- Given verse 33, what questions do you think he had about himself after he denied knowing Jesus?

### START SHARING | (Choose a question to create openness)

- Have you ever blown it so badly that you thought you had wrecked your relationship with God beyond repair?
  - What did you discover about God in that experience?
- Do you ever compare your failures with other's failures?
  - How does that affect your desire to do what you know you are supposed to do?
- Are there people in your life who believe they cannot be forgiven because their failures are too great?
  - How can you help them know that they can have assurance that they have been forgiven?
- If you were writing a book about Jesus' work in your life, what would be some of the chapter titles?

## Start Praying. (Be bold and pray with power)

How can this group be praying for you this week?

#### Start Doing. (Commit to a step, and live it out this week)

Read Act 1-5 to learn how God used Peter after Peter failed.