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**We miss Jesus when we...**

5. Ignore **the lost**.  
Luke 19:10  
II Corinthians 4:5
6. Overlook **suffering**.  
James 1:27  
Galatians 6:2
7. Neglect **our hearts**.  
Colossians 1:9-10  
Matthew 5:6
8. Downplay **grace**.  
I Corinthians 1:26-31  
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