## A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study Date: November 19, 2017 Hebrews 13:11-19

- 1. What is the significance of what the writer of the Hebrews is saying in verse 11 about the bodies being burned outside the camp?
  - a. I don't know, it seems kind of random.
  - b. There were very specific instructions about the burning of the rest of the body of the offering (Exodus 29:10-14).
  - c. There were regulations about death and dead bodies and other unclean things, which were to be taken care of outside of the camp so that disease would not spread through the camp (Lev 13:46, Deut 23:9-14).
  - d. Even those who had sinned in certain ways were to be put to death outside the camp (Lev 24:14).
- 2. Why does the writer of Hebrews bring up Jesus in verse 12?
  - a. Because he was crucified outside of the city gate.
  - b. The writer is pointing out the uncleanness (sin) that Jesus took on for our sake.
  - c. The writer is pointing out the willingness of Jesus to experience disgrace for our sake.
- 3. How does the writer suggest that we should respond to what Jesus did for us, according to verse 13?
  - a. Sing great songs in our pretty and clean sanctuaries.
  - b. Hang out with pretty and clean people.
  - c. Go outside the camp, bearing the disgrace he bore.
- 4. What will we do outside of the camp, according to verse 15-16?
  - a. Profess his name (before people who don't know him).
  - b. Do not forget to do good.
  - c. Share with others.
  - d. Praise God with our actions and not just our mouth.
- 5. In what ways can you respond to this call and go outside of the camp?
- 6. What does verse 17 say about leaders?
  - a. Have confidence in them.
  - b. Submit to their authority.
  - c. Recognize that leaders keep watch over you and are ultimately accountable to God for their actions.
  - d. Make the work of your leaders a joy and not a burden.
- 7. How does the writer end this text?\_\_\_\_\_
- 8. How often do you pray for your leaders?\_\_\_\_\_