

## SAY | I'm Sorry

### LEAN IN

Fill in the blanks to these popular quotes!

"To be, or (\_\_\_\_\_). That is the question." – *Macbeth, Shakespeare*

"Luke, I am (\_\_\_\_\_)" – *The Empire Strikes Back*

"With great power comes great (\_\_\_\_\_)" – *Voltaire (or Spiderman... whatever)*

"An apple a day keeps the (\_\_\_\_\_)" – *Benjamin Franklin*

"Sticks and stones may break my bones, (\_\_\_\_\_)." – *Anonymous Proverb*

### LOOK DOWN

*Luke 19:1-10*

What did the people think of Zacchaeus before he saw Jesus that day? Do **you** think their opinion of him changed? Why or why not?

Why was it important for Zacchaeus to give back four times as much to those he defrauded? If he had only said "sorry", without giving back what he took, would they have accepted his apology?

### LOOK OUT

List some reasons people might have trouble saying, "I'm sorry".

List some reasons why people apologizing is beneficial.

### LOOK IN

Where do you struggle with apologizing?

What are some ways your group can assist in overcoming the obstacles to apologizing in your life? What do you need to do to be free from those obstacles?

### LIVE IT OUT

Pray with your group over these obstacles this week. Make a shared list and have each individual in the group pray each day for those obstacles to be lifted.

