

Haibane Renmei Small Group

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"Set Apart" by Daniel Cronquist

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Description:

This small group will discuss Christian themes in *Haibane Renmei*, an anime, and share through discussion, reflection, and prayer requests.

Goals:

1. We'll be learning more about Christian ideas by exploring *Haibane Renmei*, the critically acclaimed series by Yoshitoshi Abe, through viewing and discussion.
2. We plan to develop a group who cares for one another. We'll share about our weeks and prayer requests as well, if you have them.

Requirements:

- Watch each episode of *Haibane Renmei*, as required in the information below, in advance of each study.
- Maintain confidentiality in sharing
- Come in with an open mind
- Open a Google+ account
- Have a webcam and microphone

Resources:

JP of the Japesland blog and Zeroe4 of Beneath the Tangles may be assisting in discussion facilitation.

Small Group Schedule:

Week and Date	Time	Lesson Plan	Required Watching
Week 1 June 22	10:00 PM – 11:30 PM ET	Introduction; ice breaker; episode discussion; sharing time	Episode 1
Week 2 June 29	10:00 PM – 11:30 PM ET	Ice breaker; episode discussion; sharing time	Episodes 2-3
Week 3 July 6	10:00 PM – 11:15 ET	Ice breaker; episode discussion; sharing time	Episodes 4-5
Week 4 July 13	10:00 PM – 11:15 ET	Ice breaker; episode discussion; sharing time	Episode 6

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Week 5 July 20	10:00 PM – 11:30 PM ET	Ice breaker; episode discussion; sharing time	Episodes 7-9
Week 6 July 27		OFF WEEK – BREAK	
Week 7 August 3		OFF WEEK – BREAK	
Week 8 August 10	10:00 PM – 11:30 PM ET	Ice breaker; episode discussion; sharing time	Episodes 10-12
Week 9 August 17	10:00 PM – 11:30 PM ET	Ice breaker; episode discussion; sharing time	Episode 13