



So That You May Know *The Teacher*

John 7:1-24

Dgroup's Curriculum: Leader's Copy

WORSHIP

Consider reading **Psalm 68:18-35** together, taking turns reading a verse at a time, or reading responsively with the leader reading a verse and the group responding with the next verse. You can discuss the Psalms you read and share what they mean to you.

WELCOME

Questions. Please share if you can remember any of your teacher before from your school days that have impacted your life. Please share to the group your experience.

WORD

Discussion Questions:

1. In the passage, we emphasized how Jesus was sensitive to the Father's timing and leading throughout His life. His timeline was aligned with the Father's. Why is this important for us? In your personal life, please share how you exercised being sensitive to the leading of the Holy Spirit.

Answer:

2. We said in the message that we are to come to the Word with a heart that is willing to obey; we are to seek transformation, not information. What does this mean to you and what steps can you take to put this into practice?

Answer:

3. We said in the message that people have various assessment about Jesus. They said He is just a good man and some said He is a deceiver. We know that Jesus is not just a good man but He is indeed the Messiah, the Son of God. Why is it so important to have a right assessment about who Jesus is? Why is it important not just to know that He is the Messiah, the Son of God but to believe it. What is the difference between knowing and believing?

Answer:

4. Why was Jesus teaching unique? How can we know if Jesus' teaching is from God? How can we know if a teacher or a speaker is a person of truth? How do we prepare ourselves to handle the Word of God accurately.

Answer:

WORK

Are the members of your life group sharing the Good News with people that they know? This would be a good time to have that conversation. We are all surrounded by lost people and we have the truth that will set them free, so it would be criminal not to tell them the Good News. We don't want to badger one another, but we do need to encourage one another to get busy sharing Jesus with others. Let's let this be the week when we stop being afraid and begin to be courageous!

Those of us who lead should remember that there is no better way to motivate others to share the gospel than to set an example for them. Speak to others about Jesus when you have the opportunity and set an example of lifestyle evangelism for the members of your group. They will be much more likely to follow your example than they will be to simply do what you tell them to do. Ask the group to discuss this and then ask them to think through the list of people you have been praying for each week. Discuss how we can be more aggressively involved in sharing the good news with these folks for whom God has burdened us. We will pray for these people tonight and each night we're together until they come to Life Group, or come to Christ through some other means. Have each couple or individual share the name of one couple/person to pray for and then ask one of the other people in the group to pray for them.

Close your time together in prayer.

WEEKLY PRAYER POINTS

I. Thanksgiving

- Worship God for who He is, what He has done, and what He will do in our lives

II. Country and the World

- Repentance and Salvation

III. Church

- That CCF Singapore Members would honor and love God and make disciples
- Core, Pastors, Leaders, and Families
- Ministries and Churches worldwide

IV. CCF Singapore Facilities

- CCF Singapore Center
- Equipments

V. Personal Concerns

- Deeper intimate relationship with God
- Righteous living
- Salvation of family and friends