



## LUKE CHAPTER 10 (FACILITATOR)

### **Discussion Starter**

- What is one of your biggest fears and do you have any desire to conquer it?
- **Opening Prayer**
  - Ask if someone wants to volunteer before leading the prayer.

### **Breaking it Down**

- All questions should be utilized as appropriate based upon group dynamics to facilitate both understanding and discussion. Don't feel tied to the questions and don't feel like you must get through every question. Follow the Spirit's lead! All questions are a matter of perspective in some way BUT there are specific questions that this is truer of, and these questions have been indicated to be perspective/opinion questions.
- Please use your own style, voice, and approach in preparing for leading your life group. Most importantly, take a few minutes to pray over the time together with you group and pray over each group member by name.

### **Tell the Story**

- **PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT YOU HAVE ONE PERSON WHO STORIES (SUMMARIZES THE CHAPTER) BEFORE THE GROUP READS THE CHAPTER TOGETHER.**

### **Read the Story (Luke 10:1-42)**

Read out loud as a group, 3-5 verses per person. Let everyone know they can opt out if they would like.

### **Luke 10:1-12**

- If someone asked you whether or not you were living with a sense of urgency in walk with God, what would you say?
  - This is a perspective and opinion question so please listen as the facilitator.
  - Notice that Jesus sends out the 72 with a sense of urgency and He encourages His disciples to pray with a sense of urgency? Why? Do we live like this today?

- Jesus wants His disciples and us to understand that His mission is so vast and His invitation to partner with Him extends to every single human being and as a result, Jesus would like to use every single person that desires Him to be a part of His work. The second part of this question is a perspective and opinion question.
  - What hinders you from living with urgency?
    - This is a perspective and opinion question so please listen as the facilitator.

□ Why does Jesus say what He does in verse 4?

- Jesus wants His disciples to rely on Him and His provisions rather than their own provisions and what they bring to the table.
  - What tangible ways can you remind yourself that God's provisions are all that you need?
    - This is a perspective and opinion question so please listen as the facilitator.

**Luke 10:13-24**

- Notice that the disciples in verse 17 are very excited to tell Jesus what they are able to do but in verse 20, Jesus reminds them of who they are and what realm they belong to. Why does He do this and what should this teach us today?
  - It's always easier to focus on what we can accomplish and do but this isn't why God has chosen to love us and partner with us. Our performances, good or bad don't define who we are as people and Jesus was quick to always remind His disciples of this.

**Luke 10:25-37**

- In what ways are we like the priest and Levite today? Why are we like this and how can we be more like the Good Samaritan?
  - This is a perspective and opinion question so please listen as the facilitator.
    - With the following people, who are you more like, the priest, the Levite, or the Good Samaritan?
      - Friends
      - Family
      - Co-workers

- Brothers and sisters in Christ
  - This is a perspective and opinion question so please listen as the facilitator.

**Luke 10:38-42**

- Many times, in this story, we are quick to elevate Mary and condemn Martha but notice that Jesus doesn't do this. There are in fact things in this life that need to be done, tasks that need to be finished, and deadlines to be met. This isn't a story about negating the truth of any of those things. Rather, it is a story of how we keep things in their proper perspective while seeking to be laser focused on Jesus, who matters most.
  - How do you intentionally choose to stay laser focused on Jesus Christ and sitting at His feet? What excuses do you make for why you can't do this?
    - These are perspective and opinion questions so please listen as the facilitator.

**Final Application**

- What does this passage teach us about God?
- What does this passage teach us about mankind?
- What is a command to obey in this passage?
- What has God revealed in your life that needs changing?
- What truth can be applied to your life about the gospel?

**Closing & Prayer Requests**

- Have a designated person to capture and share (as appropriate) within the life group.
- What happens in life group, stays in life group.
- Don't forget get to confirm the next meeting date and time.

Also recruit someone to do the story for the following week. (Luke chapter 11)



## LUKE CHAPTER 10 (STUDENT)

### Luke 10:1-12

- If someone asked you whether or not you were living with a sense of urgency in walk with God, what would you say?
  - Notice that Jesus sends out the 72 with a sense of urgency and He encourages His disciples to pray with a sense of urgency? Why? Do we live like this today?
    - Jesus wants His disciples and us to understand that His mission is so vast and His invitation to partner with Him extends to every single human being and as a result, Jesus would like to use every single person that desires Him to be a part of His work. The second part of this question is a perspective and opinion question.
      - What hinders you from living with urgency?
- Why does Jesus say what He does in verse 4?
  - What tangible ways can you remind yourself that God's provisions are all that you need?

### Luke 10:13-24

- Notice that the disciples in verse 17 are very excited to tell Jesus what they are able to do but in verse 20, Jesus reminds them of who they are and what realm they belong to. Why does He do this and what should this teach us today?

### Luke 10:25-37

- In what ways are we like the priest and Levite today? Why are we like this and how can we be more like the Good Samaritan?
  - With the following people, who are you more like, the priest, the Levite, or the Good Samaritan?

- Friends
- Family
- Co-workers
- Brothers and sisters in Christ

### **Luke 10:38-42**

- Many times, in this story, we are quick to elevate Mary and condemn Martha but notice that Jesus doesn't do this. There are in fact things in this life that need to be done, tasks that need to be finished, and deadlines to be met. This isn't a story about negating the truth of any of those things. Rather, it is a story of how we keep things in their proper perspective while seeking to be laser focused on Jesus, who matters most.
  - How do you intentionally choose to stay laser focused on Jesus Christ and sitting at His feet? What excuses do you make for why you can't do this?

### **Final Application**

- What does this passage teach us about God?
- What does this passage teach us about mankind?
- What is a command to obey in this passage?
- What has God revealed in your life that needs changing?
- What truth can be applied to your life about the gospel?