

LifeGroup Meeting

He Will Provide

John 8:12-20

Let's Dig Deeper

1. Open group time with prayer. Specifically pray for the Holy Spirit to come and move within our hearts and minds. Allow for a few moments of solitude (silence). Take time to adjust from the busyness of our day and allow the Holy Spirit to slow us down as we begin to meet with Him! Afterwards, anyone who wants to pray can pray, and the leader can close.

2. Have someone in your group read **John 8:12-20** out loud as everyone else reads along. (Make sure everyone has a Bible to read along, or have the facilitator print out this passage for everyone.)
 - Partner with someone in your group and spend time sharing just **ONE** thing that spoke out to you in this passage. Although several things may stick out, just choose one to share. It could be a whole verse or just a single word. But share why you think God put that verse or that word on your heart. Make sure both people have time to share.

 - Come back together as a group, and for however long it takes, share what you and your partner learned from this reading. This is the meat of your LifeGroup time so, no need to rush through it. Allow the Holy Spirit to speak to the group through this reading and sharing.

 - **If you don't get to the questions below, that is okay. By the end of the night, I want us to thoroughly comprehend **John 8:12-20****

3. If you have time remaining in your group, you can go over the following questions.
- What do you think he meant when Jesus said, “I am the light of the world”?
 - i. We are also called to be a light to the world. What does that look like?
 - ii. If you could rate your “lightness”, what would you give yourself? 10--being SUPER BRITE and 1--being Dull and barely seen.
 - Jesus had all the proof he needed to proclaim he was God. However, the religious leaders never believed it. Scott mentioned that this is how unbelief operates. Unbelief never has enough proof. What do you think about that?
 - i. Have you ever met anyone whose unbelief confined them to their willful ignorance of the truth? Explain.
 - Someone read **John 8:21**.
 - i. What does this verse make you think of?
 - ii. Did anyone come to mind when you read this verse? Do you care to share?
 - iii. So often we tend to focus on ourselves or our family. When it comes to sinful people...well, we got our own problems. But Jesus made a final proclamation, “You will die in your sins, and where I am going, you cannot come.” How often do you think about the reality of Hell?
 - iv. Does this reality make you want to reach those who are still lost in their unbelief? How so? Or why not?
 - Jesus Christ offers us a light that will take away all our darkness. But it is a light that moves. This means we have to follow his light. Where are we on this? Are we truly following Jesus, or somewhat following Jesus?
 - i. If the light moves and we don’t, then the darkness will creep back in. When you don’t follow Jesus the way he desires, how long does it take you to fall back into darkness?
 - ii. How can you get out of the darkness and get back in the light?
 - iii. One of the ways you can stay in the light is reading the BIBLE! On a weekly basis, how often do you read the bible?
4. Have someone close in Prayer.