



Oct 21 & 22, 2017

**Part 4 ~ The Space Between
Ebenezer (not Scrooge)**

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SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

Thought Provoking:

Give some examples of how you have marked past transitions in your life.

Describe a transition you are going through right now. Where is God in the midst of this transition? What kind of conversations have you had with God about this transition? What might be a way that you will mark the end of that transition?

Digging Deeper:

1. Using the following scriptures, what kind of markers has God used to mark important events? Genesis 1:14-18, Genesis 9:13-17, Matthew 2:2

2. Pastor Tom described some of God's markers of events in Israel's history. What did these feasts represent to God and why were they important (Leviticus 23 is a great place to start)?

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| Passover | Feast of Trumpets |
| Feast of Unleavened Bread | Day of Atonement |
| Feast of First Fruits | Feast of Tabernacles |
| Feast of Weeks | |

3. Read Jeremiah 18:16 ~ When shouldn't we use transition markers? Read Isaiah 1:10-17 ~ What is the danger of letting your transitional marker become the focus point? Do we see this in the Christian life today?

Prayer:

Thank You Father for the ability to remember all You have done for me in the many transitions of this life: the people, the places, the times and the situations. The space between in my life's journey has been incredible all because I know and trust you. You are my hope and my rock.

Application:

- Remember to reach out to God in hope and faith.
- Remember to get guidance from the Holy Spirit.
- Remember to get wise advice and encouragement from noted brothers and sisters in Christ.
- Remember to have compassion and communicate with those around you that your transition may affect.
- Remember to encourage, love, and help others in their transitions.
- Remember to honor the past, set a marker for a future reminder.

_____ transitions

Genesis 28:18 (NLT)

Genesis 35:14 (NLT)

Leviticus 23 (NLT)

Joshua 4:6-7 (NLT)

1 Samuel 7:12 (NLT)

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