



May 19 & 20, 2018

Leadership

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SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

Thought Provoking:

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Let me tell you about how _____ influenced my life. OR
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Digging Deeper:

1. Discuss a variety of great leaders in the Bible. (Abraham, Joshua, Moses, David, Paul, Barnabas, Peter) - What made them great leaders? What made them different from each other? What can we learn from looking at the differences in these leaders?
2. Read Romans 12:8 and 1 Corinthians 12:28 - Discuss the following questions: What makes a great leader? Do we all have the gift of leadership? Can you influence someone to do or act a certain way? Does that make you a leader?
3. Read Luke 22:26 - According to this scripture, what role should a leader take? In today's world, what does this type of leader look like? Do you think that great leaders start out as great followers? Read Matthew 4:19
4. How important is it to follow the right leader? Read Isaiah 65:2, Ezekiel 20:18, Matthew 23:3 - Discuss the implications of these verses. Jesus had most of his run-ins with religious leaders of the day. As followers of Jesus, can we influence our leaders?

Prayer:

Heavenly Father, what a privilege it is to be a follower and a leader for you. Show me the right path and the right leaders to follow. Give me your spirit of love, whether leading or following. Show me, through your Holy Spirit, how I might be an influence for the Kingdom of God.

Application:

Keep in mind that at times, you are called to be a leader, think of the followers. At the times you are a follower think of your leader. Do both in humble servanthood to the ONLY one that is God the Father. (TWJD) that's what Jesus did.

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