

Week of February 23, 2020 The Man Who Had Too Much

IMPORTANT NOTE for the Facilitator - During the week before the meeting contact all members of your group. If anyone was absent last week, send a copy of the Guide for this week. **You also must complete a Guide.**

Do you have an apprentice? If not, who in your group could fill that need? Pray for guidance as you encourage your apprentice.

Encourage your group to spend time on the scripture passages, Luke 18:18-30, and respond to the questions from the Guide BEFORE the meeting time. The memory verses this week are Luke 18:29-30.

Open in Prayer and Welcome/Introductions

Remind the group of DiscipleGroup Guidelines (Confidentiality, Don't Rescue Don't Fix, No Crosstalk, Use Humor Responsibly, Give Everyone a Chance to Share, Use "I" Statements.)

DISCIPLEMAKER QUESTIONS

- At the last gathering we talked about having a childlike faith. Are there any more thoughts on that?
- How did your relational investments go this week? Where do you need help?

Go over the memory verses: Luke 17:6, 17:19, 17:20-21, 18:7, 18:14, 18:16-17, 18:29-30.

Ask someone to read the passage, Luke 18:18-30, or tell the story if they know it.

Ask the group to share their responses to the following:

- How has God spoken to you this week through this passage?
- This is a story that should help all disciples reorganize their lives. Is there something that God has been talking to you about changing?
- What do you think God wants us to do with our money? How does that affect discipleship?
- What else or who else has gotten in the way of your relationship with God or has hindered your obedience to God?

Ask someone to summarize or retell the passage.

Hand out Guides for the next passage in Luke. Luke 18:35-43, Persistent Faith.

Close in Prayer.



During the week prior to your group meeting, spend some time studying the assigned passage: Luke 18:18-30. How has God spoken to you this week through these passages?

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The memory verses for this week are Luke 18:29-30. Write the verses below in the version you are learning. Review your past verses and Bible stories.

Remember to take this guide with you to the group meeting.