



Discussion Questions – Living God’s Story

1 Corinthians 7:25-40

Instructions: A life group is a spiritual family. It is a time of mutual discussion, invitation, and growth together alongside the Holy Spirit. It’s good to begin with prayer and 1-2 ice breaker questions to prime the pump and get to know one another. Then, after reading the Scriptures, **pick the questions that are of most interest to your group**. Make sure to conclude with a couple of application questions to live out our mission together. Finish with some time to care for one another and pray together.

Ice Breaker Question (pick 1-2 questions)

1. Name something that competes with the Lord for your heart and time?
2. What is a challenge you are facing right now?
3. What is one thought or idea from Sunday’s message that especially intrigued, provoked, disturbed, challenged, encouraged, warmed, warned, helped, or surprised you?
4. Did you make an “I will” statement last week? How did you do?

Read and discuss 1 Corinthians 7:26-31

1. Have someone summarize this passage in their own words.
2. Why do you think Paul encourages people to “stay where you are”?
 - A. Though the crises are different, is this good advice for your life right now? Why or why not?
3. What is Paul trying to say in vs.29-31?
4. What do you think he means that the present world is passing away?
5. What do you learn about God from this passage?
6. What do you learn about people?
7. What stands out to you?

Application

1. How can you specifically live out this passage in the next few days? (Each person create an ‘I Will’ statement)
2. How can you bless someone else as a result of this Scripture and discussion?
3. How can our group bless someone in response to this passage?

Pray Together (feel free to use the “Prayer Card” that Pastor Don referenced. You can find it at avalonchurch.org/bulletin)