

Group Discussion:

CONNECT RELATIONALLY (roughly 25% of your meeting time)

- Share Highs & Lows from the week / Share prayer needs & practice prayer together / Split into sub-groups (e.g. men / women) to share
- (Ice breaker question) *What's something strange or interesting you've inherited from people that went before you? (can be a physical object or possession...or a trait or attribute)*

GROW SPIRITUALLY (roughly 50% of your meeting time)

- *Read 2 Samuel 22:26-36. See if you can find 3 parallel ways from this passage to share & praise God for how He has been in your life.*
- *What holds you back from being more expressive with your devotion to the Lord? What are your favorite ways to express this? (e.g. poetry, journal writing, praise & worship, etc.)*
- *Scan across 2 Samuel 23:8-39. If you had one chance to credit the "mighty men" of your lifetime who have been there through thick & thin, who would you highlight and why?*
- *How do we as believers engage boldly in the world around us without being ugly, without giving the bride of Christ a bad name, without creating a negative aroma for Jesus?*
- *What types of worldly or ego-based legacies are you tempted to prep up, to rack up, to stock up before you're gone...that you need to renounce b/c they aren't legacies centered around God's glory?*
- *What are the ways you feel most led by God to participate in passing on a legacy of faith to the next generation? What does this look like?*
- *Pray together that the lives of your group would more emulate the high points of David's life & character, highlighted in the summarization of his life at the end.*

LIVE MISSIONALLY (roughly 25% of your meeting time)

- Scriptural reminder of God's missional heart – 2 Samuel 22:50
- Ask for any stories of BLESS steps that have happened recently. Celebrate anything shared.
- Ask people to update their FRANCES list of people that may be far from God. Who has God brought back up on your minds & hearts recently? Where do you see new potential opportunities?
- Ask people to consider and commit to 1-3 practical BLESS steps that they might accomplish in the upcoming season (week / month). What do you plan to do? How / when will you ensure it happens?
- Pray over specific names or steps that were shared.