# 10 -WEEK STUDY ON THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT

WEEK 8

**GALATIANS 5:22-23** 

**DEUTERONOMY 7:9** 



## **WEEKLY READING**

**Primary text from this week:** Galatians 5:22-25

Secondary text from this week: Matthew 26:36-42, Matthew 4:1-10, Deuteronomy 7:9

# **GETTING STARTED**

Goals for this session: To learn how to be faithful in a world of compromise Missed the sermon? Watch it at www.youtube.com/venturamissionary Break the Ice: Did you play any sports when you were growing up?

### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. What was one thing that resonated with you as you listened to Pastor Doug's message?
- 2. Pastor Doug said that we live in a world of compromise. Do you agree or disagree? Explain your answer.
- 3. What are some areas where you personally are tempted to compromise?
- 4. Pastor Doug made the statement, "For Jesus, faithfulness didn't start publicly in the garden, it started privately in the desert." What does this statement mean to you?
- 5. Read 1 Corinthians 10:13. How does this verse encourage you when you are tempted to compromise?
- 6. Read 2 Timothy 2:13. What does this verse remind you about God's faithfulness?
- 7. Have someone in the group read Jesus' parable in **Matthew 25:5-30** (or share the reading). What do you think this passage tells us about faithfulness?



# PRAY

**Pray for each other:** Pray that each group member would be reminded of God's incredible faithfulness this week.

**Pray on your own:** Pray that God would help you reflect His faithfulness in the little things this week.

# **ACTION STEPS**

Go to **venturamissionary.com** and take advantage of the daily and weekly resources.

**Practice telling the truth 100% of the time this week.** That means no little white lies, no omission, no exaggeration, no misleading someone else by what you say or don't say.

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