

Small Group Facilitation

October 13- Strange Things

Remind the group every week:

- This group is always a safe place where anyone can talk about anything
- We are always looking for the next person who will lead a group one day
- We always want to invite others to experience our growing community

Read- Job 2:4-8

1. There is typically a pattern of spiritual attack: Stuff, Health, Relationships. Think of current or past struggles, can you identify this pattern? Discuss with your group.

Read- Job 2:9

2. Those who hurt us deeply, often are those closest to us. Has there been a time when your closest confidant or friend didn't respond positively to your situation? Have you extended forgiveness? Restored the relationship?

3. In order to have good friends, you need to be a good friend. Name some characteristics of friendship you value. How does someones faith effect these in your eyes?

Read- Job 2:10-13

4. Jobs wife must've also been hurting. Reflect on the difference in the way they etched processed these tragedies? How do you and your spouse navigate issues?

5. How can we as the people of God show greater compassion to those who suffer?

*Pray for one another, share the struggles you are presently walking through. Ask the Spirit to teach you how to respond like Job, and be a friend to someone else.

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