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GROUPS
• VICTORY CHURCH •

DISCUSSION GUIDE

AS THE DISCUSSION LEADER, THERE ARE A FEW THINGS TO KEEP IN MIND FOR YOUR SMALL GROUP:

- Pray for your group discussion time!
- Choose a few questions from the guide which you feel will generate the most discussion in your group.

GETTING TO KNOW ME (ICEBREAKER):

- If you were selected as the #1 pick in the NFL draft, what would be your first big ticket purchase?
- What would you consider to be the “ideal” Mother’s Day gift?
- What was the most significant thing you learned from Sunday’s message?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

- Have someone in your group read Philippians 3:12-14.
- What are some positive and practical things that can be done to break away from the pain of the past?
- Have someone in your group read Psalm 139:23-24.
- Sometimes, leaving our past in the past, involves things that we have done wrong. Why is repentance before God, and making things right with people, so important in moving toward real joy?
- Have someone in your group read Colossians 3:13.
- It is true that scores of people never experience authentic joy because they are filled with bitterness and resentment? What are the benefits of forgiving those who have hurt us in the past? And, how can remembering that Jesus has forgiven us of our wrongs, empower us to forgive others?

PRAYER REQUEST:

- Jim & Vicky Gross – Teen Challenge USA
- Ken & Tiffany Belbin – India

REGISTER NOW FOR THE MISSIONS TRIP TO NICARAGUA – APPLICATIONS ARE LOCATED AT THE INFORMATION CENTER.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Sunday, May 6 – New Member Recognition – during the morning services
- Sunday, May 13 – Mother’s Day
- Sunday, May 27 – Water Baptism – register online if you have never been water baptized