

Small Groups

Victory Church

DISCUSSION GUIDE

MISSIONARY DICK BROGDEN – MISSIONS CONFERENCE, WEEK 1 – OCTOBER 30, 2022

AS THE DISCUSSION LEADER, THERE ARE A FEW THINGS TO KEEP IN MIND:

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

GETTING TO KNOW ME (ICEBREAKER):

- Share three fun facts about yourself and one prayer request.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

- Have someone read John 20:21. What do you think about being “sent” as Jesus was “sent?”
- Have someone read Mark 11:12-17. Dick Brogden said that Jesus expressed what he calls apostolic nasty. What do you think about that statement? How do you see that played out in Mark 11: 12-17? Apostolic nasty is defined – as a consecrated edginess that fixates on the worth of Jesus and the glory amongst all nations. Have you ever fought as Jesus fought?
- Have you ever sacrificially given to the point where you were exhausted? Have someone read Philippians 3:10. What does it mean to participate in the sufferings of Jesus? Dick Brogden said in his message, “There is a sweet fellowship with Jesus that can’t be gained without suffering.” What do you think about that statement?
- Have someone read Hebrews 7:25. Why did Jesus pray? Have you ever walked through a season where you didn’t want to pray? Explain. How does it make you feel to know that God eternally prays for you?
- Which missionary story stood out to you in Sunday’s message?
- What was the most significant thing you learned from Sunday morning’s message?

PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES:

Alan & Stephanie Kinnunen (Alexandra & Samuel) - Tajikistan

Peter & Jana Kozic – Czech Republic

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Wednesday, November 2 – Remember that all *VictoryLife* classes, support groups, Royal Rangers, Girl’s Ministry, and VSC are meeting! (6:30 PM)

Sunday, November 6

- It’s Daylight Savings Time! Make sure you turn your clock BACK for 1 hour on Saturday, November 5.
- Join us for GrowTrack each Sunday morning, in the GrowTrack room, at 10:45 or online at victorylakeland.org/growtrackonline. You will learn about the Vision and Mission of Victory Church.
- Join us for our World Missions Conference with Ron Maddux at the North and South Campus.