



Series: "My Story"
Lesson 9
"The Story of Nehemiah"

God can do in _____ what we've been trying to do for _____.

3 Steps Nehemiah took to fulfill his purpose.

1. He didn't chase a _____, he noticed a _____.
2. He didn't work in his own _____, he worked in _____.
3. He wasn't moved by _____, he moved forward in _____.

What can you do to fulfill your purpose?

D-Group

(Sample) Discussion Questions

D-Groups are sermon-based discussion groups that meet in the Spring and in the Fall. For more information on how to get involved or become a facilitator, email Pastor Robbie Hinson (Our Life-Groups Pastor) Rhinson@epcjax.com The Fall semester is underway, but it's not too late to join a D-Group...

1. What stood out to you the most about Nehemiah's approach to leadership?
2. How does noticing a need differ from chasing a calling in your own life?
3. Why is prayer so essential before taking action, based on Nehemiah's example?
4. Share a time when fear or opposition tried to stop you from fulfilling a responsibility or calling. How did you respond?
5. Nehemiah relied on God's strength rather than his own. How do you distinguish between working in your own ability versus God's power?
6. How does community play a role in standing strong when facing internal or external opposition, like Nehemiah's people?
7. What are some "walls" in your life or community that need rebuilding, and how can you start with the need right in front of you?
8. How can you personally take a step of faith this week to move forward despite fear, doubt, or opposition?