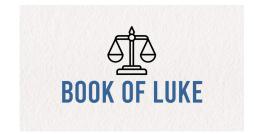


CONNECT GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE

Week #2 - Made for More



GETTING STARTED

Spend some time checking in with each other. Any highs and lows since the last time you met?

Share about a time you bought something with more features than you really needed (tools, kitchen gadgets, tech, etc.).

THIS WEEK'S THEME

Read <u>Luke 4:14-30</u> and <u>Luke 9:23</u>

What Were You Made For? What activities or roles give you life, energy, and joy? How do you know when you're not doing what you were made for?

Do you think God has given everyone a specific "more" to live into? Why or why not?

In Luke 4, why do you think the people of Nazareth reacted so strongly to Jesus' message?

How does the idea that "God's kingdom isn't just for me" challenge the way many people view faith? Can you share an example of when God shifted your perspective from self-focus to others-focus?

Throughout Luke 4–9, the disciples watch Jesus heal, serve, and cross boundaries. What stands out to you about his priorities?

How do we recognize opportunities to put WE before ME in our daily lives? What's the difference between being "good for God" and living a life that actively loves and serves others?

Who in your life has helped you discover your "more"? What did they do?

DIGGING DEEPER

Visit <u>www.calvaryalex.org/luke</u> for additional study resources during this series

TAKING IT HOME

If you know what you were made for, how can you use it to serve others this week? If you're not sure, what's one step you can take to explore your God-given purpose?

PRAY

Lord Jesus, thank you for making us for more than just ourselves. Turn our hearts from ME to WE. Show us how to love, serve, and follow you together. Help us live out our purpose so others see Your goodness through us. Amen.