GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE

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THE ROAD HOME
The Light We Long For
Isaiah 9:2-7
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NOTES

Looking back at your notes from this week's message, was there anything you heard for the first time, stuck with you, challenged or confused you?

What is the one important thing you will take away from this weekend's message or our community group discussion? Is there any challenge, difficulty or praise that you would like to share with the group for prayer?

Pastor Chris reminded us that no matter how dark, uncertain, or overwhelming life becomes, God is still calling us home.

MY STORY

Tell us about an experience when something familiar (a song, etc.) unexpectedly stirred a deep sense of longing or nostalgia

WHAT DOES GOD WANT US TO HEAR?

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; ... (Isaiah 9:2)

After describing the defeat of oppression and warfare, Isaiah announces the birth of a child. What is surprising about this transition, and how do the child's royal titles challenge ordinary expectations about power and leadership?

WHAT DOES GOD WANT US TO DO?

Pastor Chris described home as a place where we feel known, loved, and safe enough to let our guard down. What makes it difficult for some people to experience that kind of belonging?

How might they be able to get that sense of home from believers who care about them?

How can we distinguish between taking wise responsibility for our circumstances and trying to control things that require trust in God?

WHAT DOES GOD WANT ME TO DO?

Offer hope to someone walking through darkness. Reach out to a person facing uncertainty, disappointment, or a difficult season. Rather than trying to fix their circumstances, ask how they're doing, listen attentively, and offer encouragement or practical help that communicates they're not alone.

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