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Your group matters.

DISCUSSION GUIDE

- Icebreaker -

What is one thing that you think everyone should experience in life, and why?

1. Think about a milestone moment in your life when God was clearly at work—either in the moment or in a way you recognized later in hindsight. Did that moment break something, bless something, or restore something in your life? How?
2. In **Exodus 24:3**, the people say, “Everything the Lord has said we will do,” but by **Exodus 32:8** they have already turned away. What does this reveal about human nature and our relationship with God?
3. It’s easy to shake our heads at the Israelites, yet we often rebel against God in our own ways as well. When that has happened in your life, how has God gotten your attention and led you into humble restoration with Him?
4. It’s possible to follow God outwardly without being truly close to Him. Moses, however, was known for “being with God” and it showed. Think of someone you know who seems to live that way. What sets them apart, and how did they become like that? What is one thing you see in their life that you would want to imitate in your own walk with God?
5. What is one practical way you could grow in loving God or loving others this week?

PERSONAL GUIDE

This Personal Guide has been adapted from Professor Grant Horner’s Bible Reading System.

Day One: Jonah 1; Psalm 8

Day Two: Deuteronomy 5; Proverbs 3

Day Three: Romans 2; 1 Corinthians 7

Day Four: 1 Peter 1; Ezekiel 35

Day Five: Job 34; Acts 18



Milestones - Part 3

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God-given milestones don't just mark accomplishments.
Sometimes they mark _____.
And sometimes they mark _____.

God's Gift: A Covenant Offered

His _____.

"Now if you will obey me and keep my covenant, you will be my own special treasure from among all the peoples on earth; for all the earth belongs to me." (**Exodus 19:5**)

_____ Commandments.

"And God spoke all these words: 'I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of Egypt, out of the land of slavery.'" (**Exodus 20:1-2**)

Our Response: A Covenant Broken

Our _____ (Pt 1)

"When Moses went and told the people all the Lord's words and laws, they responded with one voice, 'Everything the Lord has said we will do.'" (**Exodus 24:3**)

Our _____ (Pt 2)

"How quickly they have turned away from the way I commanded them to live!" (**Exodus 32:8a**)

Is This the End of Us?

Owning your faith does not mean you'll never _____.

It means through it you will be legitimately _____ and choose to _____ to God. (See **Exodus 33:19b**)

God's Response: A Covenant _____ (Exodus 34:1-10)

It's in us to _____ things. (v.1a)

It's in God to _____ things. (v.1b)

It's in us to scramble for _____. (v.2-4)

It's in God to _____ to us. (v.5-7)

It's in us to be _____ by the world around us. (v.8-9)

It's in God to _____ the world through us. (v.10)

MILESTONES MATTER:

Notice God doesn't go to _____ all at once but starts with _____ all at once. (Exodus 34:29)

Will you be the type of person who changes the world because you're known for _____?

Will you embrace the _____ Commandments?

(See Exodus 20; 34; Mark 12:28-34)

- Will you love God first _____?
- Will you love others rightly to _____?

Will you say 'YES!' to Jesus?

Don't miss this...

_____ to God is its own _____...
and our authentic example can _____.

Tell us about the next step you took today in your spiritual journey!

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God's Gift: A Covenant Offered

His invitation.

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Tender Commandments.

"And God spoke all these words: 'I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of Egypt, out of the land of slavery.'" (Exodus 20:1-2)

Our Response: A Covenant Broken

Our freewill (Pt 1)

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Our freewill (Pt 2)

"How quickly they have turned away from the way I commanded them to live!" (Exodus 32:8a)

Is This the End of Us?

Owning your faith does not mean you'll never fail.

It means through it you will be legitimately humbled and choose to return to God. (See **Exodus 33:19b**)

God's Response: A Covenant Restored (Exodus 34:1-10)

It's in us to break things. (v.1a)

It's in God to restore things. (v.1b)

It's in us to scramble for support. (v.2-4)

It's in God to come to us. (v.5-7)

It's in us to be discouraged by the world around us. (v.8-9)

It's in God to change the world through us. (v.10)

MILESTONES MATTER:

Notice God doesn't go to everyone all at once but starts with one person all at once. (Exodus 34:29)

Will you be the type of person who changes the world because you're known for being with God?

Will you embrace the tender Commandments? (See Exodus 20; 34; Mark 12:28-34)

- Will you love God first in all things?
- Will you love others rightly to reset everything?

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