



# Small Group Discussion

The Week of:

May 20, 2026

**What's your life like:**

What's something you paid a high price for but you would still say it was "worth it"?

**What are we talking about this week:**

## Main Point of Message:

- All month we've been in a series called "Worth It," asking the big question underneath everything: is following Jesus actually worth the cost? Tonight we're wrapping up the series, and we're finishing strong. Jesus himself tells us to count the cost before we follow him, so that's exactly what we're doing tonight by looking at one of the most powerful things he ever said about who he is.

## Bible Verses

- "But don't begin until you count the cost." Luke 14:28
- "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one can come to the Father except through me." John 14:6
- "I have come that they may have life and have it to the full." John 10:10

## Discussion Questions

1. What does it mean to "count the cost" before committing to something? Why do you think Jesus actually tells us to do that when it comes to following Him?
2. What's one thing about following Jesus that costs you something real? Comfort, reputation, control, money? How do you feel about that cost?
3. Jesus says he is THE truth. Is there an area of your life where it's felt easier to believe a lie than to trust what Jesus says? What would it look like to trust Him there?
4. Jesus promises life "to the full" in John 10:10. What do you think that actually looks like day to day for a high schooler? Does your life feel like it reflects that right now?
5. The message asked it both ways: what's the cost of following Jesus, but also what's the cost of NOT following him? How does flipping the question change the way you think about it?

**Now what:**

Before Rally Night this summer, write down your honest answer to this question: "Is following Jesus worth it to me right now?" Be specific. What is it costing you, and what are you receiving? Bring that to God in prayer this week, and if you're still unsure, ask him to show you.