

DISCOVER GOD'S WORD

Let the Word do the work.

SESSION 05 - DISCOVER GOD'S WORD

REVIEW: Triangle, Quiet Time, Relationship Map, Quadrants

GOAL: People have more ownership over something when they discover it for themselves. By inviting people to discover God in his Word, obey what he says, and share it with others, we invite them to a lifelong journey of spiritual growth.

READ & RETELL: John 6:44-45; Isaiah 55:10-11

DISCUSS:

What does this teach about God and his Word?

What does this teach about people?

How should these truths impact the way we make disciples?

TOOL: DISCOVERY BIBLE STUDY

FURTHER DISCUSSION:

The next time someone comes to you with a spiritual question, are you prepared to invite them to discover the truth rather than simply tell them?

ACTION STEPS:

How can you begin incorporating more discovery into your own personal discipleship?

Do you know anyone who is ready to be invited to discover more about God (a believer or someone who is lost)?

Who?

When will you invite them to begin?

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DISCOVERY BIBLE STUDY

(For groups)

Spend 1/3 of your time in each section.

LOOK BACK

→ CARE AND WORSHIP:

- Why are you thankful?
- What is causing you stress?
- How did you obey last weeks passage?
- With whom did you share?
- Is there someone this group can be helping?

→ **VISION:** - *This group is meeting to discover what the Bible teaches about God and about ourselves so that we can apply its truth and share it with others.*

LOOK UP

→ PRAYER

→ READ THE PASSAGE

- Retell the passage in your own words
- What does this passage teach us about God?
- What does this passage teach us about people?

LOOK FORWARD

→ Ask God how you should respond to this passage

→ Share with the group:

- *How will you respond in obedience to this passage?*
- *With whom will you share?*

→ END IN PRAYER

LEADERSHIP TIP

- *Rotate facilitator every week*
- *Encourage people to speak in sentences not paragraphs*

NOTES / GOALS

Do you know anyone who is ready to be invited to discover more about God (a believer or someone who is lost)?

When will you set aside time this week to invite them to join you in a discovery Bible study.

Who can you reproduce this lesson with this week?
