

Instructions

Group leaders, take some time before your gathering to look over these questions. Ask the Holy Spirit to guide you and pick 3-5 questions to discuss, which pertain to your group's unique needs and style.

For the video related questions, look up the video in RightNow Media. You can do this on a phone, tablet, computer, or SmartTV device. You can easily find the video by clicking on the "Revolution Church" channel within the app. If you or a group member needs access to RightNow Media, please email info@revolutionky.org.

Questions Related to This Week's Message

1. God has seen and heard Israel in their suffering, and now in response to their plight, God calls Moses. Moses will be the leader who leads them out of bondage. This call story demonstrates how God accomplishes God's work and salvation in the world through willing servants, like Moses. People who are called, have agency to respond, and co-labor with God to bring about God's purposes. Where have you seen examples of this co-laboring with God, both inside and outside of our church? Where have you understood that hopeful expectation that God is active and present, will move and respond, and is disciples have a role to play in the outcome of those events?
2. Frederick Buckner has said "The place God calls you to is the place where your deep gladness and the world's deep hunger meet." Do you agree with this statement as it functions on a personal level or for us as a church?
3. What brings you deep joy? What is one of your deepest values (examples community, family, hospitality, value of all people?)
4. What are some of the deepest needs of hungers in the world right now? Where do you see the church meeting these needs?
5. When God has called you to something, have you been tempted to respond like Moses? With questions or doubts? What helps you respond with courage and faith to the task God calls us to, to love God and to love our neighbors as ourselves?

Video and Discussion Questions from RightNow Media

"Leading Through Fear" - by Jada Edwards

(located in the "Renovation Group Bible Studies" channel)

<https://www.rightnowmedia.org/Content/Series/366138?episode=1>

Note: This video is 34 min, but you can watch it easily at 1.5x speed to fit it in only 23 min.

1. When it comes to your call from God, do you tend to feel more confident or lost without direction? If you feel lost, describe the emotions you feel in connection to that and how they have or have not held you back from God's best in your life.

2. Jada says that one of the most important things we can do in the wilderness is to look for areas of God's agreement. Share about some of the setbacks or roadblocks in your life right now (i.e. prayer requests) and then share some of the areas where you can see God's agreement in the midst of them.
3. Remember your rescue. Share with your group a piece of your testimony. Don't water it down or keep it in a nice little box, as Jada warned, but take time to remember the extent to which God has saved and transformed your life.
4. Keep moving forward. Jennie Allen describes the call of God as the "simple, faithful acts of obedience" of people who trust in God. With that in mind, what is your next step (preferably one you can take this week), and how can your group help and support you in it?
5. What else stuck out to you from this video? Take a moment to share together as a group.
6. Consider watching on your own: **"Driven VS Called"** - by Jennie Allen (located in the "Renovation Group Conference Sessions" channel)
<https://www.rightnowmedia.org/Training/Post/View/270014>

Family-Related Questions:

Parenting is powerful ministry. Discuss how you can help remind your kids of their Christian calling, purpose, and identity this week. How can you call out their best, help them see God's agreement, and keep them moving forward with confidence? How can you help them see the needs of the world around them and the impact they can have on their neighbors?