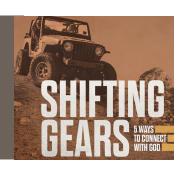
GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE

May 1, 2022

GEAR #2
Going Deep
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| NOTES | Open with prayer. (2-5 min) Read Luke 10:38-42. Discuss these questions with your group. (20-45 min) |
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| | MY STORY Starting Place Describe someone who is fully present when he or she is talking with you. What do you admire about that? (7-10 min) |
| | DIGGING DEEPER Practical Biblical Application Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. But Martha was distracted with much serving. (Luke 10:38-40) |
| | What can keep us from being fully present in the moment? What types of things easily distract you? |
| | How can you keep your time with God free from distractions, so that you can be fully present with him? |
| | GROWING TOGETHER Spiritual Friendship And she went up to him and said, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to help me." But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her." (Luke 10:41-42) |
| | Life is a balance of <i>being</i> and <i>doing</i> . How do you know when to stop one and enter into the other? |
| | How much of your identity is tied up in what you do, or some role you play? Is that necessarily bad? Explain. When can it become an unhealthy issue? |

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?

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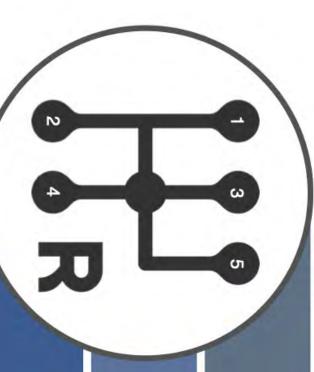
MOVING OUTWARD | Faith In Action

Take someone out for coffee this week, and practice being fully attentive to whatever part of their story they want to share with you.

Link for Prayer Experiences

5 GEARS

5th focused and immersed in a project



4th managing To-Do Lists

Social Mode · Small-talk, chit-chat, socializing

2nd bonding with someone

Recharge Mode · Rest, Recovery, and st Personal recharge

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Responsive Mode · Backing up or apologizing when necessary