

CONSUMER OR CONSUMED | WEEK 6

Date: February 18, 2023

Verses: Psalm 84:11



SERIES INSIGHT

In our first full series for 2024, *Consumer or Consumed?*, we are tying in the heartbeat of “Hallelujah” and taking a more introspective look at ourselves and our longing and hungering for God. We are ineffective being just “consumers”. But something comes alive in us when we bask in the presence of God as he “consumes” us - he is after all, an all consuming fire (see Hebrews 12:29).

ICEBREAKER

- If you could bring back any fashion trend what would it be?
- What's the most out-of-character thing you've ever done?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. **Review the Message.** Looking back at your notes and upon reflecting on this weekend's message, what was your one takeaway from Sunday?
2. Reflect on the metaphor used in Psalm 84:11 "For the Lord God is a sun and shield." What do you think the psalmist is trying to convey with these images, and how does it impact your understanding of God's role in your life?
3. Consider the promise in the latter part of the verse, "no good thing does he withhold from those whose walk is blameless." How do you interpret the idea of a blameless walk, and in what ways can we strive to live in alignment with God's principles to experience His abundant blessings?
4. Discuss the concept of God bestowing favor and honor. How does this relate to our understanding of God's character, and how might it influence our attitudes and behaviors as believers?
5. Think about a time in your life when you felt God's provision and protection. How does Psalm 84:11 resonate with your personal experiences, and how can the assurance of God being a sun and shield impact the way you approach challenges and uncertainties in your life?

PRAYER

Allow people to share requests and celebrate any praise reports as well. Consider having someone write down the requests to share with the group. Take time to pray however long your group needs.



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