

Small Group Discussion Guide

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Who Stole My Life? Life's Reality, God's Grace.

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WELCOME

There are many different things in life that can rob us of peace.

- What do you find are some of the most significant peace robbers in your life?
- What are barriers to having a one on one with God? How can you overcome them?

WORD

1. Read Isaiah 9:6. Jesus is the Prince of Peace. How does knowing this put you at rest?
2. Read Isaiah 53:4-6. Jesus suffered these punishments so that we could have peace with God. Does your life show that you believe that? Why or why not?
3. Read Matthew 14:13. Where is your “go-to” quiet place? What do you do that helps you in difficult times?
4. Read Matthew 14:26-33. Jesus walked on water after his quiet time and called Peter to come out to him and do the same. Has God ever put something difficult or impossible on your heart following a quiet time? Is there a tug on your heart you might be ignoring to “get out of the boat?”

WEAVE

1. Make a plan of peace. Write down when you are going to do your quiet time every day.
 - When will it be? How will you remind yourself? (phone alarm, sticky note on computer/tv)
 - Where will it be?
 - How long will it last?
 - What in the Bible will you read.
 - What could that time look like? (5 minutes of pure quiet; 5 minutes of prayer; 10 minutes reading the Word; 5 minutes in prayer for the day.)
2. Have someone hold you accountable that is also committed to quiet time.