

MESSAGE TO CONVERSATION GUIDE

Chasing Happy | Week 2 | Kill The Happiness Killer

- 1. What's one thing that, in the moment, you want more & more & more of until you overdo it & aren't happy afterwards (i.e. food, shopping, etc.)?
- 2. In this message, Joel said *we have a never ending appetite for more*. What are some examples that our culture sell us on the idea of, *more _____ leads to more happiness*? Are our appetites ever satisfied when we chase those things?
- 3. How does discontentment distort how we see what we already have?
- 4. Read Philippians 4:10-12. In what situations has Paul learned to be content? Is this different than how we often feel?
- 5. Paul wrote the Bibles letter on happiness while in prison which reminds us that we can experience happiness right where we are. What are a few areas in your life that you are in right now that you have been overlooking God's blessings?
- 6. Happiness Habit #1 was *savor simple moments*. How can you develop the habit of enjoying the simple moments of life? How would implementing this help you find happiness in any situation?
- 7. Happiness Habit #2 was *practice aggressive gratitude*. What are 3 things that come to mind that you're grateful for.
- 8. If you're a Jesus follower, what has He done for you that you're grateful for? How does remembering this make you happier?



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