

Small Group Questions

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GETTING TO KNOW YOU:

1. Have you ever seen or experienced "snatching victory from the jaws of defeat?" A win at the last moment possible, when it previously seemed certain that it was going to be a loss (the game was all but over, the deadline was just about due, etc)? Describe what happened.

LOOKING BACK

On Sunday, Dale continued the series called, "Seize Tomorrow!" It is all about laying hold of the tomorrows God has for us. It is about being on route to our future, not allowing intimidation to dominate us.

2. "Seize Tomorrow!" What do we mean by that?

DIGGING DEEPER:

Verse: Joshua 1:1-6

"Get ready to cross the Jordan River..." God was giving them the land, but they needed to partner with God and "be strong and courageous" to lay hold of that promise.

3. God's promises and blessings don't just fall into our laps. Discuss why this is true.
4. Can you think of a time when you were certain hope was lost, but, at seemingly the last possible moment, God came through on his promise?

TAKING IT HOME:

Hebrews 6:17-18 *When people make promises, they guarantee them by appeal to some authority above them so that if there is any question that they'll make good on the promise, the authority will back them up. When God wanted to guarantee his promises, he gave his word, a rock-solid guarantee—God can't break his word. And because his word cannot change, the promise is likewise unchangeable. We who have run for our very lives to God have every reason to grab the promised hope with both hands and never let go.*

5. Where does trusting God come hardest for you? Easiest? Why? What is the "tomorrow" you trust God has for you? How will you partner with Him to seize it?

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 - **Wednesday Nights** *Join us at Peoples Church for our ongoing classes and Bible Studies for adults, women, men, youth and children on Wednesday nights at 7p*