



The Sweet Life Pt. 4

Kindness & Goodness

Crossroads LifeGroup Discussion Guide

for the week of 4/6/2019

CONNECTION

- [1] How has the Fruit of the Spirit in other people shown you more about God?

OBSERVATION & INTERPRETATION

- [2] How are the Fruits of the Spirit more than mere niceties? Do you think that they are radically countercultural in their true form? Please share your thoughts...
- [3] Why is it important to distinguish between the Fruit of the Spirit flowing from the Spirit of God working in us rather than doing good deeds in our own strength?

APPLICATION: KINDNESS

- [4] What makes an act of Kindness? How do kindness and compassion relate to each other?
- [5] Ebed-Melech was able to see the plight of Jeremiah and respond to the his dire situation (Jeremiah 38:7-13). What are some things that might block us from seeing and responding with Kindness to someone in need?
- [6] How might Christ-centered Kindness lead people into a relationship with Jesus? Can you share an example of someone believing in Jesus after an act of Kindness?

APPLICATION: GOODNESS

- [4] How would you define Goodness?
- [5] When have you been filled with Goodness the most?
- [6] What issue or situation in your life would improve with more Goodness? Does God's grace have a role to play in bringing Goodness into this situation? Please explain.