

Group Questions – Week 1: Build Solid

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Getting to Know Me Questions:

- If you could choose to be a part of any TV family, which one would you choose? Why?
- If you could only listen to one song for the rest of your life, what would it be? Why? (You don't have to listen nonstop, but when you listen to music this is the song)

Into the Bible Questions:

- What's something from this week's teaching that you learned, that stood out, interesting etc?
- In your family, whether the one you grew up in or the one you're a part of now, how was love expressed or not expressed? How has that shaped you?
- Think back to the illustration of the two chocolate animals. One was hollow and one was solid. What happened with the two animals when they were placed under pressure?
- Our marriages and families are much like these two in that they look similar from the but when put under pressure, they will crack based on whether or not they have a solid core.
- In your opinion, what are some clear signs that a family/relationship is hollow? What about some signs that a family/relationship is solid?
- **READ:** Colossians 1:3-5 - focusing on the words faith and love
- What is your response or observations about this passage and those words?
- If Jesus is to be first and above all things – then the key to building solid into our family and relationships is by putting him at the center. Not merely just having Him as a part of our lives, but truly keeping Jesus at the center of everything.
- With that thought, what do you think of Pastor Kirby's statement "You can call yourself a Christian family and not have Christ at the center"?
- What would it look like to truly have Christ at the center?
- **READ:** Colossians 1:9-14
- Use this prayer this week as a guide to praying over and for your loved ones.

Application Questions:

- Your family and the relationships closest to you should always be a place where you pull each other up, never push each other down. How can you, in a very clear and practical way, build up the people in your family/relationships this week?
- We ended the message with this question: "Is this a Christ-centered solid decision, or a self-centered hollow decision?" Where and how will you use and apply this question this week?