

TALK IT OVER 3/21/2021

Message Series: Galatians Week # 5

Message: I Get What?

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Big Idea: We reap what we sow, so sow good seed.

Central Text/s: Galatians 6; John 10:4-5, 27; Psalm 71:18

Wins and Words of the Week: Take time to share WINS, (what God did) and WORD, (what God shared with you from His word) that moved you and others forward and closer to Jesus.

Ice Breaker: If you could get one seed for anything in life...what would you plant and what do you hope is produced?

Questions to Consider:

- 1. What are some things besides seeds that you can sow in life? What are some choices that have huge implications for the future?
- 2. What is one positive harvest or result because you planted a good seed (habit)? Explain.
- 3. As you think about the past year, how do you describe what you have sown in life? What are you expecting (or dreading) to harvest? How can you change your future harvests?
- 4. Read Galatians 6:1-10. How is sowing and reaping tied to living by the Spirit? What is one seed you need to plant in your life so you will reap Holy Spirit fruit?
- 5. What are some ways that you can know you are sowing to please the Spirit? How do you hear the voice of God?
- 6. Looking at Galatians 6:9. Seed can take time to germinate, grow and be ready for harvest. What helps you persevere in times when it may seem like nothing is happening?
- 7. Share a time when your hard work and perseverance paid off. You sowed and reaped a good harvest. Was it a relationship, salvation, blessing, healing, changed thinking or doing? Explain.

Digging Deeper:

- 8. Read John 10:4-5, 27. What are some benefits of knowing the shepherd's voice? What can hinder hearing the shepherd's voice? What specifically can you add to your life today to help you hear the shepherds voice better?
- 9. What are some new ways you could begin sowing to please the Spirit in your own life, in relationships with other believers, and in relationships with those who don't yet know Jesus?
- 10. What seed thoughts are you processing lately that we as a group can help you cultivate/navigate so you produce a good harvest?
- 11. Read Psalm 71:8. Who has God placed on your heart to sow Jesus seed into? How can we come alongside and pray with you for a great harvest in this person?



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Questions for Application:

- 1. What specific steps will I/We take to live out what we just discussed?
- 2. Who can we share this message or truth with? What is their name?
- 3. Who are you praying for to know Jesus? What is their name?
- 4. Who will I partner with to keep me accountable so I/We can grow?

Group Prayer Options:

- Ask: What was one praise and one challenge you experienced this week? Celebrate the
 praises and pray for the challenges.
- Prayer Question: "What's going on in our lives that we can involve Jesus?"
- Ask if anyone has a need or knows of a need, you can also offer "unspoken" prayer requests.
- Pray together for our first responders, essential workers, local churches, pastors and staff, hospital personnel, civic leaders, our President and Congress.
- Pray for the person on your right, it can be out loud or in silence, if in silence nudge the person next to you letting them know you are done.
- **Prayer Clusters:** Groups of two or three (by gender) and share your week together. Pray together and for each other. Send them a text, or leave a message letting them know you have prayed for them this week.
- Have someone in your group keep a list of both requests and answers then celebrate the answers.