

THE CENTERGROVE WAY

Scriptures for further study

Matthew 6:25-32 | Hebrews 13:20-21

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Jeremiah 29:11-13

"God faithfully delivers to us what He knows is good, not always what we want, but what is good for accomplishing His plan for us, in us and through us. -Paul Tripp

1. What did you want to be when you grew up? What was so attractive about that job?
2. If you could live your life over, what key decision or decisions might you make differently? How would life be different today?
3. How do you explain verses 11-13 and the reality that believers don't always face "smooth sailing" in life?
4. Put yourself in the shoes of God's people who were being shackled and carted off to pagan Babylon. Would it have been hard for you to hear anything after verse 10? What conflict would you have in believing God's words in verse 11?
5. In your own words, why was God sending His people into exile for 70 years? Was God deserting them by allowing their captors to take them into exile?
6. When God sends you into difficult seasons, do you think it would help you or hurt you to know how long He plans to keep you there? Explain.
7. When our decisions lead to unhappy consequences, can we be certain that God's plan has our best in mind?