LIFE GROUPS DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. What is a work of God in your life, that when you remember what he did, it encourages you to trust him for the future?
- 2. Read Joshua 4:1-7. What is the meaning of a "sign" in this context? Why did the Lord have the nation build the memorial with twelve stones from the middle of the Jordan?
- 3. How does the cross serve as a sign like the memorial stones did?
- 4. How can a symbol become an idol?
- 5. Read Joshua 4:8-13. The priests led the way and completed the crossing. How does this reflect Jesus' work of salvation (See Hebrews 4:14 & 12:2)?
- 6. Who does the Lord want you to stand in the gap for others by living and sharing the gospel?
- 7. Israel miraculously crossed the Jordan on dry ground yet ready for battle. How does this relate to our spiritual journey? Are you battle ready?
- 8. Read Joshua 4:14-18. What does it mean for Joshua to be exalted? Why does the Lord exalt people? How has God lifted you up for his purposes?
- 9. In verse 18 the water returned to its place at flood stage immediately after the priests came up out of the river. God clearly communicated this was his miraculous work. When has the Lord worked in your life in a way in which he made sure you knew it was his hand upon you?
- 10. Read Joshua 4:19-24. What was the ultimate purpose for this memorial of twelve stones?
- 11. How does remembering God's gift of eternal life impact how you live now?
- 12. Steven Matz used his story to connect people to the gospel. How can you use your story to connect others to the gospel?



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