



LIFEgroup STUDY GUIDE

What you will need to supplement this guide:

1. A copy of the outline provided for notes on this message (copy from message or downloaded from the COASTAL APP).
2. A Bible or Bible APP to refer to verses.

PURSUING LIFE TOGETHER

SUNDAY MESSAGE REVIEW

NOTE to the LIFEgroup Leader: This guide is provided as a tool to assist you in facilitating a structured discussion with your group. When used in conjunction with the outline notes and a Bible this tool will ensure that your group will *Engage Authentically*. The questions are merely recommended “talk starters”. It is important for you to let God help you navigate through the conversation as you *pursue life together* as a group.

OPEN IN PRAYER

STARTER QUESTIONS:

Where have you seen God at work in your life since we last met?

What stood out to you from the message this week?

MAIN IDEA:

- REVIEW THE MAIN TOPIC OF THE MESSAGE. Allow time for discussion
- READ THE MAIN SCRIPTURE FROM THE MESSAGE OUTLINE.

How did this verse speak to you in your life?

- REVIEW THE SUB-TOPICS of the MESSAGE.

Have someone read each of the verses that were highlighted in the message, and briefly discuss.

Is there an area that you feel God is speaking to you through this message?

FINAL THOUGHTS:

- SUMMARIZE the main idea of this message.

Would anyone like to share your thoughts about what we discussed today?

How can we pray for you as a group?

CLOSE IN PRAYER

DELIGHT
“Jehovah-Shammah”

Jehovah-Shalom-"God is my Peace" (Judges 6:24)
You give me peace in spite of circumstances!

Jehovah-Rohi-"God is my Shepherd" (Psalm 23:1)
You lead me and care for me like a good shepherd!

Jehovah-Jireh- "God is my Provider" (Gen. 22:14)
You see what I need before I even ask!

Jehovah-Rophe- "God is my Healer" (Exodus 15:26)
You can heal my body, emotions, and relationships!

Jehovah-Shammah-"God is Present." (Ezekiel 48:35)
You are here! I am never alone!

*"The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel"--
which means, "God with us."* Matthew 1:23 (NIV)

"Surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." Matthew 28:20 (NIV)

Because of Jehovah-Shammah:

- The times we stumble, God sees us!

*"Moses looked this way and that to be sure no one was watching, then killed the
Egyptian and hid his body in the sand."* Exodus 2:12 (TLB)

*"Nothing in all creation is hidden from God's sight Everything is uncovered and
laid bare before the eyes of him to whom we must give account."* Hebrews 4:13 (NIV)

*"People who cover over their sins will not prosper. But if they confess and forsake
them, they will receive mercy."* Proverbs 28:13 (NLT)

- The times we struggle, God understands us!

Jesus felt:

- Angry
- Rejected
- Betrayed
- Grieved
- Tempted

"Jesus the Son of God... understands our weaknesses, for he faced all of the same temptations we do, yet he did not sin. So let us come boldly to the throne of our gracious God. There we will receive his mercy, and we will find grace to help us when we need it."
Hebrews 4:14-16 (NLT)

"Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you." 1 Peter 5:7 (NIV)

- At all times, God is with us!

"Don't be afraid, for I am with you. Don't be discouraged, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you... For I hold you by your right hand—I, the Lord your God. And I say to you, 'Don't be afraid. I am here to help you.'"
Isaiah 41:10-13 (NLT)

Throughout the Bible, God promises to be with us:

"Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go."
Joshua 1:9 (NIV)

"When you go through deep waters and great trouble, I will be with you. When you go through rivers of difficulty, you will not drown!"
Isaiah 43:2-3 (NLT)

"Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me."
Psalms 23:4 (KJV)

"The Lord was with Joseph." Genesis 39:2 (NLT)

"The Lord was with Joseph..." Genesis 39:21 (NLT)

"But the Lord was with Joseph in the prison..." Genesis 39:21 (NLT)

"The Lord was with Joseph..." Genesis 39:23 (NLT)

Sometimes believers are called to walk by faith, not by sight. (2 Corinthians 5:7)