

## CG DISCUSSION GUIDE

### Sons and Daughters of the Father



<b>← LOOK BACK</b>	<b>↑ LOOK UP ↑</b>	<b>LOOK FORWARD →</b>
<p><i>Accountability and Celebration</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Where is God using you at ICB? How have you allowed Him to use you to build His kingdom at ICB or outside of it?</li> <li>• Did you have a chance to reflect on what skills and passions that God could use from your past to use for Him? If so, what are they? Or what idea did God put in your mind regarding all of that?</li> </ul> <p><i>Prayer</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pray for continued self-awareness regarding how God has equipped you through your life experiences to work for Him and alongside Him.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Ephesians 1:3-8</b></p> <p><i>What does the passage say?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• These verses say that we are adopted into God's family as Christians. What is the significance of that according to the text or other texts in the Bible?</li> </ul> <p><i>What does it say about God?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• God has chosen us before the world began and sacrificed His Son to accomplish his plan. How does that make you feel?</li> </ul> <p><i>What does it say about us?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If God is the King of the universe, and Ephesians tells us that we are his sons and daughters, what/who does that make us? (Princes and Princesses of the King)</li> </ul>	<p><i>Practice</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What are some ways that we can act like who we are?</li> <li>• What are some reflection techniques you can use to help you discover if you have an orphan heart or a slave's heart?</li> <li>• Pray in twos for help to have the same heart as our Father, the King.</li> </ul> <p><i>Plan</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Promise to a partner in your group something concrete that you will do this week to help you act like who you are. Make plans to check in with them at least once during the week.</li> </ul>

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