

# Discussion Questions

## **INTRODUCTION**

What will be your spiritual legacy? How do you want others to remember you?

## **GETTING STARTED**

1. Share about your parents' legacy. How have you been blessed or harmed because of it?
2. Think of three key words that describe how you'd like your children or your friends to remember you. Evaluate what you are doing today to make those words a reality.

## **BIBLE IDEA**

3. Read 2 Timothy 4:5-8. List the three essentials of fulfilling our ministry (vs. 5). Give some examples of how you will focus on these essentials. What is the reward for being faithful in leaving a spiritual legacy (vs. 8)? How does this encourage you?
4. Read 2 Timothy 4:16-18. What was the main reason 'the Lord stood with Paul and strengthened him' (vs. 17)? Does the principle apply to you today? Why or why not? How is Paul's legacy of telling others about Jesus different from or the same as yours?
5. Read Genesis 12:1-3. What did God promise Abram? How have you been blessed by Abram's legacy? Discuss how Abram's obedience to God's calling impacts your life today.
6. Read 2 Timothy 2:2. How many spiritual generations are encompassed in this one verse (vs. 2)? Think of any present-day principles that come from Paul's reminder to Timothy.

## **NEXT STEPS**

7. What steps will you take this week to begin the process of adding someone to your spiritual legacy tree?