



GROUP STUDY GUIDE

WEEK OF JUNE 23, 2024 | ACT LIKE MEN

WARM-UP QUESTION

Describe a moment when you felt a deep sense of peace or joy in your life. What was happening at that time, and how did it influence your understanding of God's presence and love for you?

DISCUSS

Start your discussion by sharing what stood out to you from Sunday's sermon. Were there any new insights or key takeaways for you?

Read 1 Corinthians 16:13-14

- How can we stay alert and stand firm in our faith in our daily lives? What does it mean to be courageous and strong in your personal context or sphere of influence?
- How does doing everything in love shape our actions and interactions with others? Can you share an example from your life where acting in love made a significant difference? How can you avoid bitterness and/or resentment toward people in your life?
- What do you think it practically means to do everything "in love"? In what ways can your group help each other to stand firm in faith and act in love? How can we create an environment within our group that fosters strong faith? How can we keep each other accountable?

Read 1 Peter 3:7-8

- How can husbands and wives live together in an understanding way? What does it mean to show honor to one another in marriage or close relationships?
- How can we all cultivate unity of mind, sympathy, brotherly love, and a humble mind in our community? Can you share a personal experience where these virtues were particularly important?
- If you're married, reflect on a time when you felt challenged to live out the virtues mentioned in this passage. How did you overcome that challenge, or what did you learn from the experience? If you're not married, how do these virtues challenge your view on a marriage relationship?

RESPOND

- Based on what you just discussed, what do you think God is prompting you to do in response? When will you do it?
- Pray together as a group for the specific goals or areas of struggle that came up in your discussion. Thank God for revealing more of who He is, and ask Him to help you apply what He's prompting you to do this week.