

## BIBLE DISCUSSION GROUP STUDY QUESTIONS

In preparation for Sunday, September 22, 2024

Passage: Luke 5:1–11

Memory Passage: Luke 5:8–10

### DAY 1 – ASK FOR INSIGHT

### READ THE PASSAGE

- (a) **Read Luke 5:1–11.** Grab your Dig & Discover booklet, and let's use it to study our text this week!
- (b) Write down several Good Questions, including both Basic (Who? What? When? Where?) and Powerful (Why? How?).
- (c) What Genre does Luke use in 5:1–11, and what is its Tone and Mood?

### DAY 2 – ASK FOR INSIGHT

### READ THE PASSAGE

- (a) **Read Luke 5:1–11.** How does the work you've done so far with Good Questions and Genre help you identify the structure of Luke 5:1–11?
- (b) What are the units of thought in this passage? Write a one-sentence description of the content of each unit of thought.
- (c) Apply the principle of Traveling Instructions (Part A [pp. 16–17, but not including the “Us Today” section at the bottom of p. 17]) to Luke 5:1–11. Write down what you learn about the original context, the original audience, how 5:1–11 connects with the preceding and following units of thought, any connections to other passages, etc. Your work should answer questions such as: What did the author say? Why does he say it in this way? Why does he say it here? What is surprising about it? What was the intent of the author's message for the original audience?

### DAY 3 – ASK FOR INSIGHT

### READ THE PASSAGE

- (a) **Read Luke 5:1–11.** What is the author's Main Idea & Transformational Intent? Your work this week should have equipped you to identify both. From the workbook: “Main Idea: A summary statement of the author's message stated with his tone (the attitude of the author toward his message). Transformational Intent: The change God is seeking through the author's message with the mood he intended (the attitude of the reader in response to the author's message)” (p. 20).

### DAY 4 – ASK FOR INSIGHT

### READ THE PASSAGE

- (a) **Read Luke 5:1–11.** Read pages 20–24 and refresh your understanding of Biblical Theology. Apply this principle to Luke 5:1–11 and record your findings.
- (b) Revisit the Main Idea and Transformational intent you identified yesterday. Does your study of Biblical Theology require you to alter or revamp these statements? If so, explain your reasoning and revamp your statements as needed.

**DAY 5 – ASK FOR INSIGHT**

**READ THE PASSAGE**

- (a) **Read Luke 5:1–11.** Was there anything in your Framework that this Text reshaped? Explain what needed reshaping and how this Text conformed your Framework to God’s word.
- (b) Apply Traveling Instructions (Part B [the “Us Today” paragraph on p. 17]) and write down applications for your life. Answer these questions: How should I respond in light of the author’s transformational intent for his original audience? What would it actually look like for the author’s transformational intent to be at work in my life?

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