

EQUIPPED TO WIN | EPISODE 8: WIN YOUR WORLD

SUMMARY STATEMENT:

We all live to hear well done good and faithful servants. We live with the mission to win our world. We can practically win our world by multiplying groups, practicing discipleship in our homes, and making our world better.

CONNECT

What are some non-Christian TV shows or movies that you have seen that reflect the gospel? (Themes like: Creation, Provision, Fall, Promise)

PROTECT

Pray for God to give us a legacy vision: a 100-year vision of the future that spans generations. Pray for a bold spirit and a united church. Pray for revival at Faith Promise and across Tennessee.

GROW

- 1. Read Philippians 3:12-21 and Acts 9:1-9. What does it mean to win?
- 2. Read Acts 1:8. How have you found this verse to be true in your life?
- 3. Read the promises of God found in Revelation 3:20, John 1:12, Colossians 1:14, 1 John 5: 11-13, and Philippians 3:8. What can you learn about your identity as a Christ follower in these verses?
- 4. Read Mark 10:21-22. How does the rich young ruler respond to Jesus' invitation to follow Him? What does that mean for you as someone sharing the gospel with others? Is the other person's response your responsibility?
- 5. What is your next step in winning your world?

PRAY

Ask God to help us take what was learned in Equipped to Win and bring it into our world. Pray for everyone in the group to love God, love people, discover their purpose, and win their world.



PGROUPS



EPISODE 8: MIDWEEK MEDITATION

FOLLOWING JESUS IS HAPPY AND HARD. IT'S HAPPY BECAUSE WE HAVE A PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP WITH THE GOD OF THE UNIVERSE. WE KNOW HIM HE KNOWS US. HOW COULD WE NOT BE HAPPY TO GET THE HONOR AND PRIVILEGE OF KNOWING OUR CREATOR?

ON THE OTHER HAND, FOLLOWING JESUS ISN'T ALWAYS EASY. LIFE MIGHT BRING HEALTH PROBLEMS. WE FACE CHALLENGES AT WORK AND FINANCIAL TURMOIL. THE DAY WE DECIDE TO FOLLOW JESUS, GOD JUST DOES NOT SNAP HIS FINGERS AND FIX EVERY PROBLEM. IN FACT, JESUS TELLS US THAT WE WILL HAVE TRIBULATION AND DIFFICULTY WHEN WE FOLLOW HIM (JOHN 16:33).

BUT AS JESUS FOLLOWERS, WE HAVE THE PRIVILEGE OF TRUE PEACE AND JOY THAT RUNS DEEP IN OUR LIVES. WE HAVE SUCH GOOD NEWS. YES, JESUS TELLS US THAT WE WILL HAVE TRIALS AND TRIBULATION. BUT HE FINISHES BY SAYING, "BE OF GOOD CHEER, I HAVE OVERCOME THE WORLD." WE KNOW THE END OF THE STORY.

FOLLOWING GOD IS HAPPY AND HARD. THE PSALMS ARE A CAREFULLY CURATED COLLECTION OF HEBREW WORSHIP AND THEOLOGY. THE PSALMS REFLECT THE JOY AND PAINS THAT WE EXPERIENCE IN LIFE. PSALM 104 IS A BEAUTIFUL VISION OF A LIFE DEVOTED TO GOD, A TASTE OF THE ABUNDANT HAPPINESS IN A LIFE COMMITTED TO GOD. EVEN IN DIFFICULTIES, AS FOLLOWERS OF JESUS, WE CAN HAVE CONFIDENCE IN GOD'S PROVISION AND FAITHFULNESS IN OUR LIVES. WHEN WE TELL PEOPLE ABOUT JESUS, WE INVITE THEM INTO A LIFE OF MEANING, PURPOSE, AND BLESSING THAT THE PSALMIST HIGHLIGHTS IN PSALM 104.

RFFI FCTION QUESTIONS:

- 1. READ THROUGH PSALM 104 AND WRITE OUT ALL OF THE BLESSINGS THAT COME WITH A LIFE DEVOTED TO GOD. WRITE THESE SOMEWHERE IN YOUR JOURNAL OR THE NOTES APP AS A REMINDER.
- 2. WHAT HAS FOLLOWING JESUS COST YOU IN YOUR LIFE?
- 3. HOW HAVE YOU CHANGED SINCE COMING TO JESUS?

TAKE A STEP:

PRAY FOR REVIVAL AT FP TO REACH 1% OF TN.





WE EXIST TO WIN THE WORLD BY
EQUIPPING CHRIST FOLLOWERS
TO WIN THEIR WORLD STARTING
WITH 1% OF THE STATE OF TN.

ATTENDANCE

GROUPS (PEOPLE)

FINANCES (WEEKLY)

WINNING TEAM MEMBERS

CAMPUSES

STUDENTS

ONLINE

STAFF

KIDS

2022	FUTURE
6,670	66,000
11	109
346 (2,322)	3,282 (22,976)
1,936	19,157
1,730	17,118
807	7,985
630	6,234
\$255,361.95	\$2,526,819.90
85	840