

Meeting 24

This is the LAST MEETING. The original leader(s) of the group are to lead this meeting.

- Before the Meeting
 - Remind the group to complete Step 3 of Meeting 24 (pg 135-137) beforehand.
 - Consider bringing something special to the group for your last meeting (gifts, notes, food, etc.)
 - Think through Step 4 for each individual. Jot down some notes of how you want to encourage each person.
- Step 3
 - Spend some time evaluating what God did the past few months.
 - We measure progress, not position. We celebrate what God has done. If someone feels guilty because they didn't take the process seriously enough, don't allow wallowing. Praise God for conviction and godly discontentment, which results in renewed obedience to God, not self-pity.
- Step 4
 - Spend as much time here as you need to. God always shows up to someone in moments like this. **If words of affirmation isn't your love language, work hard to prepare beforehand.** Chances are there is someone in your group who will never forget what is said about them.
- For the Leader
 - You are loved more than you know. The grace of God has made you pure, and nothing can ever defile you. Keep your eyes fixed on Jesus. Every promise He has made will become true. Don't ever lose sight of the His great love for you as you are. God has used you in huge ways, in some ways you haven't seen yet. The apostle John writes in 3 John 4, "I have no greater joy than to hear that my children are walking in the truth". You have spiritual children in the faith. They are your crown and your boast before the Lord (Phil 4:1, 1 Thes 2:19-20)!!! **Thank you for all you have done for the Kingdom of God!** He sees Your investment, and it will yield much fruit. Continue to run this race well. I am so proud of you.