



SMALL GROUP LESSON PLAN

Teaching The Bible Through Practical Biblical Teaching

- **Greeting/Opening Prayer/Food & Friendship**
- **Icebreaker** ~ What is your favorite song and why?
- **Testimonies/Good news/What are you thankful for?**
- **WOF's Purpose:**
 - 1) We teach and educate - exercising believer's rights through practical application
 - 2) We are a holistic church- development of spirit, soul, and body
 - 3) We are a mission's church - serving both domestic and international
- **Short review of what was preached at service on Sunday**
- **Facilitation of Lesson**

Attendee

A Good Planter

In order for a plant to grow and flourish, it requires good soil, light, and a healthy environment. Just like a plant, Christians must work diligently at keeping and maintaining our heart. Developing the right heart environment is necessary for our spiritual development and growth. Consequently, there are specific steps that we must follow in order to be a good planter and produce fruit. A key component of establishing and cultivating good ground is our faith. Without faith it is impossible to produce a harvest we can enjoy.

READ: Mark 4:20 (KJV) Faith requires good soil in order to produce good fruit. It is not good enough to just hear the Word of God, we must have corresponding action.

1. Give a definition of having good soil?

READ: Mark 4:14-15, Proverbs 4:23 (KJV) We have a responsibility to keep a healthy (soil) environment of our heart. Be watchful and ready to remove any weeds that may cause doubt and unbelief.

2. Share your definition of a healthy environment?

READ: Mark 4:15-17 AMP; I Corinthians 15:33 KJV How you hear God's Word is key. Troubles, cares, or negativity can impact how your garden grows.

3. Share how allowing troubles, cares or negative words can affect your heart and stunt growth?

READ: Proverbs 4:23-27, Joshua 1:KJV Words are powerful. Sticks and stones they break not; but hearts they crush. Be on guard so that you can enjoy the springs of abundant life.

4. What steps can you implement into your daily routine to ensure that you firmly plant the Word into your heart?

- **Time of Prayer**
- **Your Circle: (Family, Friends and those you have influence with) How's it going?**
- **Announcements-Next WOF service and any additional announcements**
- **Dismissal**

Prayer focus: 1) Your Circle (friends and family) 2) Small Group members 3) Word of Faith Leadership
Have you reached out to your circle today?

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