



## SMALL GROUP FELLOWSHIP: May 25, 2003

**New Believers Class:** Please plan to join us in Montezuma Hall at SDSU this **Sunday, June 1 at 3:00** for the third day of our New Believer's class.

**ROCK Married Couples Retreat: June 20-22** at the Hyatt Regency in Palm Springs. This retreat is limited to the first 100 couples. Cost will be \$300 and the deadline to register is June 1. Sign up in ministry alley after services or call 858.455.7625 x241 for more information.

**Prayer & Spiritual Disciplines:** If you are looking to bring depth to your prayer life and dig deeper into the foundations of prayer, concepts of intercession, spiritual warfare, and spiritual disciplines, then this class is for you! 4 Mondays in June 6-8:30 pm. \$100. Contact Carolyn Rossi at [carolynr@therocksandiego.org](mailto:carolynr@therocksandiego.org) or at 858-455-7625 x260 to register.

**ROCK University Upcoming Events:** Catalina Island Weekend, **June 27-29**, Faith Class/ Wilderness Trip at Hume Lake, **September 13-19**, and Grand Tour to Israel, **November 9-22**.

For more information, contact Octavia Jarmin at [octaviaj@therocksandiego.org](mailto:octaviaj@therocksandiego.org) or ext 239.

### Title: What Does Wisdom Say – Part 7

**MEMORY VERSE:** The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge, but fools despise wisdom and instruction. **Proverbs 1:7**

### SERMON REFLECTIONS

- 1) In **1 Kings 3:1-15**, we read about the dialog between God and Solomon, where God is asking Solomon what He should give him. In the sermon, Miles brought up three key points to learn from this dialogue.
  - a) Solomon's request was based on Gods plan for his life. Do you know what Gods plan is for your life? What are your spiritual gifts? Discuss why this is important to know (**Eph 2:10**). If you have never taken the spiritual gifts test, follow the link below and take the test.  
  
<http://www.therocksandiego.org/pdfs/personalshape.pdf>
  - b) Solomon's request was based on his desire to do a good job (**1 Kings 3:8-9, Col 3:23, 1 Cor 3:13**). Are people watching your work ethic, habits, and schedule? Why is it so important to do a good job? Do we work for God or for man?
  - c) Solomon's request was based on acknowledging his weakness (**1 Kings 3:7, 2 Cor 12:9-10, Rm 8:26**). Do you know what your weaknesses are? Can God still use you if you are weak? When are you more effective for God, when you are weak or when you are strong? Why?

### CLOSER WALK (Colossians)

1. Have your Small Group read aloud **Colossians 1 and 2**. Appoint a scribe and list all the things that speak of Christ being preeminent. Take a moment to discuss the relevancy of his preeminence to the way you live your life.
2. Read **Genesis 1:1-3, John 1:1-5, Proverbs 8:22-36**, and **Colossians 1:16-17**. What light do these verses shed on creation and the role of Jesus at the time of the creation?
3. If **Colossians 1-2** are "theological," then **3-4** are "practical." Go around the room again and read these two chapters aloud. Compose a personal list of the things that are relevant to you (things that you might need to focus on). As you feel led, share the some of you discoveries with your Group.

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1 Thessalonians 5:11**



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Save the Lost  
Equip the Saved  
Send the Equipped

## Announcements

**New Believers Class:** If you missed week one, that's ok! Plan to join us this **Sunday, June 1 at 3:00** day three of this four-week class. For more information, contact [melissak@therocksandiego.org](mailto:melissak@therocksandiego.org) or ext. 242

**Got skills?** Skills that bring order, see details, and would bless others? The ROCK Administrative Team needs your help! If you have free time a few hours a week that you can help our Small Groups, Worship, or Youth Ministry with data entry, phone calls, and other office duties, we would be blessed to have you! To volunteer or intern with our staff, please contact [melissak@therocksandiego.org](mailto:melissak@therocksandiego.org) or ext. 242.

### Calendar of Events:

- **ROCK South:** Leadership Gathering this Saturday, May 31 from 8:00 – 9:30. For more information, contact [PaulT@therocksandiego.org](mailto:PaulT@therocksandiego.org)
- **ROCK Married Couples Retreat: June 20-22** at the Hyatt Regency in Palm Springs. This retreat is limited to the first 100 couples. Cost will be \$300 and the deadline to register is June 1. Sign up in ministry alley after services or call 858.455.7625 x241 for more information.
- **Attention All Ladies!** If you're anywhere from 16 to 100 years old, plan to join us for a "Girls Weekend Away" at Murrieta Hot Springs **August 15-17!** Registration begins June 29, cost is \$139.00. Begin saving now and invite your Small Group and your friends!

ROCK University, welcomes everyone at the ROCK to participate in some exciting upcoming events. "Draw near to God and He will draw near to you." James 4:8

- **Catalina Island Weekend**, June 27-29th. A weekend of fellowship, kayaking, hiking, camping, solitude, bonfire, and much more.
- **Hume Lake**, September 13-19th. Faith Class/ Wilderness Trip. In the majestic Sierra Nevada Mountains. Enjoy a week of hiking, camping, & especially increasing your faith.
- **Grand Tour to Israel**, November 9-22nd. A 14 day adventure to the beautiful city of Jerusalem and surrounding towns. Walking through the Bible and experiencing where our faith began. For more information, contact [octaviaj@therocksandiego.org](mailto:octaviaj@therocksandiego.org) or ext 239.

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