

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

“Throne Quiz”

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MINISTRY PRAYER REQUESTS

As “small groupies,” you are the heart and soul of this ministry--who better than you to lift up the Small Group Ministry in prayer? So, it’s up to you, you can spend time in your small group praying for these things (weekly or occasionally), or you can pray during the week on your own time. May God work through your prayers mightily!

Reaching the Lost: Pray that all the small groups continue to develop relationships with those who are far from God, and invite them to their small groups.

Current Small Group Leaders/Small Groups: Pray that all of our Small Groups take time to follow up on all the new people trying to get into small groups.

Potential Small Group Leaders: Pray that our current leaders continue to give their ministry away and develop future leaders to reach their full potential in Jesus.

Small Group Staff: Pray that God gives us the favor and wisdom to rebuild the Small Group team. Ask Him to order our steps in every decision we make.

The Rock Body: Pray that the Rock Army grows deeper and deeper in spiritual maturity and accountability to one another.

MEMORY VERSE

⁴²They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. ⁴³Everyone was filled with awe, and many wonders and miraculous signs were done by the apostles. ⁴⁴All the believers were together and had everything in common. ⁴⁵Selling their possessions and goods, they gave to anyone as he had need. ⁴⁶Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, ⁴⁷praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.
Acts 2: 42-47

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS – THRONE QUIZ

This week we are mixing things up for the small group questions. We want to test your knowledge on the Throne series by playing a little game! Keep reading to see what’s in store:

Getting Started

- Gather the following materials: A piece of paper, pen, scissors, and grocery bag.
- Designate 1 person to be the “Game Master!” (This person will read the questions and will not participate in the competition itself.)

- Designate another person to be the “Score Keeper!” (This person will...???...keep score! Yeah, you’re on roll!)
- Have each person in your group pair up with one other person to make a team. (Larger groups can pair up in teams of 3 or 4, boys against girls, couples, families, etc.)
- Have the Game Master cut out each Throne Trivia Fact below in *Digging Deeper* (careful not to allow anyone to see the answer) and put the strips into the plastic grocery bag.

Digging Deeper:

How to Play the Game:

Game Master draws a Throne Trivia question from the grocery bag and reads it aloud leaving out the underlined word and saying the word *blank* instead (because that’s the answer). Which ever team shouts out the correct answer first gets 1 point. The team with the most points after all questions are answered wins!

For example:

*Game Master draws “God’s Throne must have a central location in your life” so Game Master reads “God’s Throne must have a central **blank** in your life.”*

Have fun with prizes! Maybe the winning team gets a free pass from bringing refreshments or perhaps everyone chips in a dollar to buy a Starbucks card. Perhaps the winning team gets the Super Servant Award and has to bring snack next week! Or the group washes the winners’ feet! Have fun with it and be as creative as you want to be. These are just suggestions to help get you started. =-)

[Cut each bullet point out across the paper, then place in grocery bag.]

- God’s Throne must have a central location in your life.
- God’s Throne must be protected .
- God’s Throne must consume your identity .
- Respect the method of God.
- Respect the glory of God.
- Respect the faithfulness of God.
- David’s Throne will always have someone from His house .
- David’s Throne will have authority over an actual Kingdom .
- David’s Throne will be last forever.
- David forgot he was human .
- David gave into his greedy eyes.
- David placed himself above the law.

- Lust breeds sickness while love breeds health.
- Lust manipulates people while love speaks the truth .
- Lust forces sinful disobedience and love encourages God obedience.
- Lust hates responsibility while love fulfills its responsibilities.
- Let me tell you what the King/God should have done.
- Let me tell you what I/the Devil would do if I were king.
- Follow me, I just crowned myself king.
- Decide today if you want to follow Absalom or David.
- David Mighty Men were known for individual actions that inspired corporate achievement.
- David's Mighty Men made their bodies their slaves .
- David's Mighty Men placed themselves in the middle of the action.
- 2 Samuel is about David's Throne.
- King David reigned over 40 years.
- King David ruled in Hebron for 7 years.
- King David ruled in the City of David for 33 years.
- A covenant is an agreement that brings about a relationship of commitment between two people.
- Bonus Question (worth 2 points): Ammon rapes his half-sister Tamar.
- Absalom kills Ammon.

Bringing it Home

What did you learn from playing the game? Why is(n't) it important to mix things up in small group life and incorporate games, socials, etc? What was hard about this activity? What was easy? What new things did you learn about each other?