

LIFE GROUP QUESTIONS

WEEK OF MARCH 5 ,2017

Sermon Series: The God Who Builds: Book of Nehemiah

Current Message: *God is Undefeated*

Nehemiah 4

Icebreaker: Were you ever a part of a team or some other thing that never seemed to lose? What was that experience like?

1. REVIEW THE SERMON

Read Nehemiah 4. Identify the different types of opposition that were used to distract and discourage Nehemiah and the people of Jerusalem as they were building the walls ?

In this chapter what are ways that Nehemiah fought off the opposition and kept the people focused on what God had called them to build?

Read 1 Peter 5:8 and Ephesians 6:10-13 and answer whether you believe we are in a battle and why? Read Romans 8:31-39. How does this passage encourage you to fight off the opposition knowing God is undefeated and victorious in all things?

2. ASSESS YOUR LIFE

How often do you think about the reality that you are in a battle and the enemy desires to tear down what God desires to build in and through you?

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| 1 - Never | 3 - Sometimes | 5 - Always |
| 2 - Rarely | 4 - Most of the Time | |

What is the reason or reasons why this is the case? Do you believe it is necessary to change? _____

3. APPLY THE TRUTH

4 things were given from Nehemiah 4 when face with opposition: *Fervently Pray, exercise Faith in God's character, Fight for your family, Focus on the work God has called you to do.* Which one of these are you believing needs the most focus in your life right now? How can the reality that God is undefeated in all things help encourage you with what you identified?

4. COMMIT THIS WEEK

Choose one of the ways you gave from the question above and commit to making that happen this week. With the strength that only comes from the Holy Spirit, What will you do this week ? _____
