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A STUDY IN GALATIANS

Small Group Study Guide

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Galatians 1:11-24 Truth

OVERVIEW

Mike's message stated that we live in a world where the assumptions under our culture are shifting. So as Christians we have to decide what assumptions we will hold as it relates to God and the gospel.

1. Truth Exists and it's a person (Jesus Christ).
2. God has revealed truth to us through Jesus Christ.
3. This truth is so good I have to share it.

Read: Galatians 1:11-2:14

Discuss:

1. Discuss truth and your opinion of how truth is viewed in today's society.
2. Do you believe that absolute truth exists and that it can be known? Explain. How can we know what is true?
3. Read Galatians 1:11-12. Paul states that the gospel is not of human origin and has received this revelation from Jesus Christ. How is such a claim viewed in today's society?
4. Read Galatians 2:11-14. Paul confronts Peter because his "conduct was not in step with the truth of the gospel". How should we conduct ourselves in light of the truth of the gospel?
5. The truth of the gospel lead Paul to preach the gospel to gentiles whereas Peter shrunk away from the truth of the gospel in front of the gentiles. In which way does the truth of the impact you?
6. What are ways that we can share that the gospel is true in a world that does not believe in absolute truth?
7. Share an experience of trying to share the truth of the gospel with someone that did not believe it to be true or believe that there is absolute truth.
8. What motivates you to share the truth of the gospel with others? What scares you about sharing the truth of the gospel with others?

Going Deeper:

Read 1 Corinthians 2

1. Vs. 1-5 How does Paul describe how he presented the truth of the gospel to the church in Corinth?
2. Vs. 6-9 How does Paul describe the truth of the gospel or the "message"?
3. Vs. 10-13 Where does Paul say that the truth of the gospel or the "message" comes from and how does that help us when we share?

.4. Vs. 14-16 What is important to remember about the truth of the gospel, or the "message", when we talk to unbelievers?

5. Who is someone you need to reach with the truth of the gospel? Will you commit to praying for them?