



Ridge Group Lesson "John's Letters"– December 11, 2016

Getting Started

What were some of your highs (wins) this week? What were some of your lows (struggles) this week?

What is that one gift that you always wanted, but never got for Christmas?

Digging Deeper

Read 1 John 4:9-21

What do we learn about God/Jesus in this story? What do we learn about man?

Is there a sin to avoid, a promise to claim, and example to follow, or a command to obey in this story?

Bring It Home

What are some ways that you focus on the "what" of Christmas? (The "what" is Jesus)

What are some ways that you can focus on the "so what" of Christmas? (People are more important than possession)

What are some ways that you can focus on the "now what" of Christmas? (Loving God=Loving others)

What is one thing that you can **obey** and put into practice in your life from this sermon and/or lesson?

Is there anyone in your life that needs to hear the truths found in this message/study? How can you share with them?

Spend some time praying together as a group.