



A Worship Discussion Guide for Individuals, Groups & Families for the week of November 12, 2023

Read the Bible passage aloud in your group meeting. This is a worship discussion guide, and our reflections and applications are grounded in Scripture. You do not need to work through the whole guide. Decide which points would be most helpful for your meeting, and use them as a starting point for your time together.

Warm Up

- **This Christian finds their identity in Jesus Christ.** As a follower of Jesus, what is something you left behind that used to be a big part of your identity?

I Corinthians 6:9-12

Kingdom Ethics & Freedom

⁹ Or do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived: neither the sexually immoral, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor men who practice homosexuality, ¹⁰ nor thieves, nor the greedy, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor swindlers will inherit the kingdom of God. ¹¹ And such were some of you. But you were washed, you were sanctified, you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and by the Spirit of our God.

¹² "All things are lawful for me," but not all things are helpful. "All things are lawful for me," but I will not be dominated by anything.

- **Why won't the unrighteous inherit the kingdom of God? (9)**
- **What is the point of Paul's list of sinners (10), and his concluding remark, "And such were some of you" (11)?**
- **What does it mean to be "washed", "sanctified", and "justified"? (11)**
- **When were you "washed", "sanctified", and "justified" in Jesus?**
- **What does Paul mean by, "All things are lawful for me"? (12)**
- **Paul sets aside some of those lawful things as unhelpful, or so that he would not be dominated by them. Have you ever set aside something for similar reasons? What is an example?**
- **Reflect on this week's passage together, and use it as a guide for a time of prayer. Jesus changed the identity of the Corinthian believers. Thank him for this ongoing ministry in the church today.**

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