

LG DISCUSSION LIFEGROUPS GUIDE

Use these questions in your Life Group gatherings or for further discussion as a family.

DISCIPLING YOUR ENEMY | AUGUST 16, 2026

SERMON RECAP

Jesus seeks and saves even His enemies; no one is beyond His grace! As he redeemed an enemy like Saul, He calls us to love, bless, and disciple ours.

THE LEAD IN

- Have you ever had an enemy/competitor to friend relationship? How did the change happen?

GETTING INTO THE TEXT

- Read the story of Saul's conversion in Acts 9:1-31. After Saul's dramatic encounter with Jesus, the Jewish believers, including Ananias are hesitant. Why? What does it take for trust to be established?
- Matthew 5:44, Luke 6:27-28, and Romans 12:19-20 encourage us to take an unusual posture towards our enemies. What does Christ ask of us towards those who are against us or have harmed us?

GOING DEEPER

- Ananias called the man who had persecuted and terrorized the church "Brother Saul." What radical trust in God's plan to go to Saul and minister to him! Who is God sending you towards who needs someone to guide them in their walk with Christ?
- Tony encouraged us to do four actions as we disciple those opposed to us or the gospel: 1) love them, 2) do good to them, 3) bless them, and 4) pray for them. Which of these do you struggle with the most when thinking about and interacting with those who have hurt you?

PRAYER

- "Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you." – Luke 6:27-28