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***LIFEgroup Discussion Questions***  
***D: B1M1: Faithful Stewards***  
***March 15, 2015***

**Intro:**

1. See how the week went.
2. See if anyone wants to share what God has been teaching them this week (Maybe in the daily devotionals through Nehemiah or share the memory verse – Matthew 10.39.). Have them share. Maybe have someone share their story of faith.

**Study:**

**Read: Luke 14.25-35**

1. As we look at the beginning of this passage what are three marks of discipleship that we see (14.25-27 – *love God, deny self, follow Jesus*)? When Jesus uses the word *hate* for these earthly relationships what is He truly saying? What are the two others we have talked about over the last few weeks (*love others, know truth*)?
2. The discipleship that Jesus has called us to (14.25-27) is costly. He illustrates this point with two illustrations (14.28-32). What are they and what do they mean for disciples of Christ?
3. What does it mean in 14.33 that we must give up all our own possessions to be Christ's disciples? What is stewardship? What is important for the disciple to recognize about his possessions and truly everything when it comes to ownership (Psalm 24.1)?
4. What does the stewarding of ourselves look like (1 Corinthians 6.19-20; 2 Corinthians 4.10-12)?
5. What does the stewarding of my possessions look like (Matthew 6.19-21, 24; 2 Corinthians 9.7)?
6. What does it mean that I am a steward of the gospel (1 Corinthians 4.1-2)?
7. What is the link from what Jesus has said in Luke 14.25-33 to what He closes with in 14.34-35? What is the significance of salt and how does it relate to our discipleship?

**Pray**