



### **This Week's Icebreaker Question:**

What was your least favorite food as a child? Do you still hate it or do you love it now?

### **Life Group Discussion Questions:**

1. Read Mark 10:42-45. Why is serving so crucial to a Christian's spiritual development? In what ways can serving deepen your relationships with family, friends, and church? Read 1 Peter 4:10. What gifts do you have with which you can serve?
2. Why is communication so critical in relationships? In what way can communication be an act of service? How can we be more effective in communicating the love of Christ to others?
3. Read Jeremiah 17:5-8. Based on this passage, what is the difference between trusting our strength and trusting in God? Why is it often more comfortable to trust in ourselves rather than God? In what ways has God shown himself trustworthy in your life?
4. Read Matthew 18:21-22, 35. Why is forgiveness so critical in relationships? Tell of a time when you or someone you know demonstrated forgiveness in a situation. What was the reaction of those who received forgiveness?
5. Read John 2:23-25. In this passage, we see Jesus loved people but did not fully trust them. How can you evaluate who is trustworthy and who is not? What is the balance between trusting people and exercising wisdom in relationships?

***\*“This week we heard from special guest, Dino Rizzo. The Life Group Discussion Guide will not necessary go with the message of encouragement he brought us this week!”***