

The Twists & Turns of my God Story

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(How God's Story changes My Story) Series
LG Discussion Guide



As we heard from Pst Denis this week sharing about the twists and turns in his life' story.

Discussion Questions:

- **Have you ever been at a place in our lives when we thought that our lives are our own and we didn't care what God thought about us?**
- **Has your life had twists and turns whereby you were tempted to ask "where God is?"**
- **What are some lessons God has taught you through the hard times of your life**

Each of our God Stories will have Twists and Turns that we must brace ourselves for if we are to stay the course of our God stories. **Many times, we are so into our agenda that we forget that God is not in our lives to fix what we want.** God is after fulfilling his purposes/his kingdom in and through our lives.

1. Saved for a God purpose and not our agenda

This means that it is not about us but about God. "God is God and he will do what he pleases not what we want"

Discuss: How is God like a good father in this aspect?

2. Threatened by fear

Just because God has called you, does not mean that you will not be face with fear!! What makes most people not make progress and growth in life is fear of failing. But if you are not ready to face fear you are not ready to be what God wants you to be.

Read: Exodus 4 and discuss how Moses was threatened by fear

3. Grow through hardships

It was not a hard message for Moses to preach to the Israelites about going to the Promised Land. Moses had to come to a point of believing what God said about him and boldly face pharaoh, **IT'S WITH THE MIND THAT WE SERVE THE LORD.**

It takes a while of listening to what God says about you before you start to believe it.

Points to Remember :

- The fact that you are born again does not mean that you are immune from the tough times of life.
- Being born again does not exempt you from struggling with sin, with fear with bad attitudes...

Jeremiah 29:11 - For I know the plans I have for you, says the LORD, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.