

Small Group Discussion Questions

January 3, 2010

“Prologue” (Mark 1)

1. Describe a situation where you have felt like God was calling you to surrender something in your life.
2. Why is it that it is easy for us to surrender certain things, and very difficult to surrender other things? What can that tell us about our priorities?
3. Read Matthew 3:13-4:11
 - (a) What does Jesus do that causes God to say “This is my Son.....” ?
 - (b) Do you feel as though God says those same words about you? Why or Why not?
4. Describe a situation you have experienced that was extremely challenging.
5. John Piper says “God is most glorified in us, when we are most satisfied in Him.”
 - a. What does this mean to you?
 - b. What does “being satisfied in God” look like?
6. Read Isaiah 26:8
 - a. What does this passage mean for us as believers?
 - b. How can we live this out daily?
7. As a group, discuss what circumstances that God might be calling you to engage in, perhaps difficult ones, that you can step into for His Glory. Be specific, set goals, and encourage one another along this journey. Together we can live lives that increase God’s glory!