

**DCAT #5 – It's All about the Heart  
Small Group Questions**

- **Make sure everyone has a journal or paper**
- **A pen**
- **A Bible**

1. Start the evening by praying first, that the Holy Spirit would open everyone's eyes and heart and that He would guide each person to something He is wanting to talk to them about.
2. Read this passage together. As you read, underline a verse or verses that stand out to you or connect with you in some way.

Genesis 12:1-10 (we suggest the NLT version)

3. **Write down an "S" at the top of the page and then one of the verses that stood out to you.** S = Scripture.
4. **Below that, wrote an "O" = Observation below this verse.** Take some time to briefly explain the verse the best you can. What's going on here?
5. **Now write "A" = Application.** Read the verse a few times and ask the Holy Spirit to talk to you about how this applies to your own life. Make some notes about that...write down what is coming to you about how it applies to you.
6. **Now write "P" for prayer** – take the time to write out a prayer asking for help/thanks/further questions...begin with "Heavenly Father, thank you for Your Word. I want to listen and obey..." and finish with "I pray this in Jesus' Name"
7. **Break off into groups of no more than 3 people and share from your journal.** Others should listen. Feel free to ask a question or give a word of encouragement. Make sure you stick to your journal to share (don't ramble on and on) so everyone can share.

After someone has shared, someone else in the group should pray for them.

8. Leader – lead a prayer time where people pray out loud for one person in their life who does not have the joy of knowing Jesus, that they would come to know Jesus. Everyone can pray at the same time (like a choir).
9. Leader, pray for the whole group that there would be a growing desire to know God more and more through His Word with the guidance of the Holy Spirit. Pray that there would be a dedication to meeting with Jesus daily (practice this practice). Pray that your group would experience freedom and joy in this incredible privilege we have to be able to inquire of the Lord (Joshua 9:14) and to hear from Him and receive His help.