Key Scriptures

*Do not be deceived: God cannot be mocked. A man reaps what he sows. Whoever sows to please their flesh, from the flesh will reap destruction; whoever sows to please the Spirit, from the Spirit will reap eternal life. Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.* Galatians 6:7-9 NIV

*“But you have planted wickedness, you have reaped evil ...”* Hosea 10:13 NIV

*“And the seed that fell on good soil represents those who hear and accept God’s word and produce a harvest of thirty, sixty, or even a hundred times as much as had been planted!”* Mark 4:20 NLT

**Start talking.** Find a conversation starter for your group.

* How would you like your life to change in the next five years?

Start thinking. Ask a question to get your group thinking.

* Which part of this message was most impactful for you and why?
* Think about your habits. How have they shaped who you are today?
* Read **Galatians 6:7-9**. What are some of the good things you’re currently doing? How could God use those habits to positively impact your future?

**Start sharing.** Choose a question to create openness.

* Share about a time when your hard work paid off. What were some of the things you did to be successful? How did you see God at work?
* Talk some more about how you want your life to look in five years. What are some small habits you can start today to move in that direction?

**Start praying.** Be bold and pray with power.

*Father, thank You for all You are and all You do in our lives. We pray that You would be with us this week as we use small habits to follow You and become more like Your Son. Help us to reap a harvest that glorifies You. In Jesus’ name, amen.*

**Start doing.** Commit to a step and live it out this week.

* Commit to one small habit you’ll start today that will help you follow God and become the person you want to be in five years.