

## **MESSAGE GROUPS - I'M DONE - WEEK 2 - JANUARY 13**

#### **LEADERSHIP THOUGHT:**

This New Year's Series leans into the idea of an "Anti-Resolution". While there is benefit in our "I Can" attitude to lose weight or stick to a better budget, the real life change comes for the things that we can only do with God's help and power. God wants to take you on a journey to depend and trust Him more fully for the places in life where "I can't".

#### **ICEBREAKER:**

Has anyone ever told you that "You Can't" do something? How did you respond?

# **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

We have all had circumstances in life that force us from *I CAN* to *I CAN'T*. This is often where we have to acknowledge that while I can't, *GOD CAN*. Read aloud *Exodus 2: 11-15*.

- **Q:** In this moment, Moses tried to take something into his own hands that only God could do. Have you ever tried to deliver on something that only God could do?
- **Q:** What are examples of some areas of life that are "I Can't" but "God Can" places?

When we realize "I Can't", we often fall into a wilderness season. If we want to experience the power of "God Can" in our life, we have to let God kill some things within us. In the wilderness, God has to kill our 1) **Pride,** and 2) **Distractions.** 

- **Q:** Why do you think that pride can keep us from experiencing God's power in our life?
- **Q:** What are the things right in front of us that can distract us from what God is doing? What are some practical ways we can pull away from distractions and focus more on God?

In the wilderness, God wants to *humble us* and *get our attention* to move us into a "God Can" season.

### **CLOSE**

Through his time in the wilderness, Moses discovered that just because I'm done, it doesn't mean that God is done with me. Give your group space to reflect on this question privately and share if they feel led.

• **Q:** Where in your life are you experiencing a wilderness? Where do you need to lean into God's strength to do what you can't?

Read aloud **2 Corinthians 12: 9-10.** Pray as a group that this verse would become real in the "wilderness areas" of your life. Where would you pray for a "burning bush" breakthrough moment in your life?



