



GROUPS

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What Makes a Movement Last?

At the core of God’s movement is the gospel’s power to radically transform someone. The power to start a movement in someone’s life, a movement in an entire community...and beyond. Some movements burn out fast. Others are only surface-deep—just a clever marketing campaign. The kingdom of God is clearly more than that, but what makes it a movement that lasts?

Key Scripture | Matthew 16:15-19

“But what about you?” he asked. “Who do you say I am?”

Simon Peter answered, “You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.”

Jesus replied, “Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah, for this was not revealed to you by flesh and blood, but by my Father in heaven. And I tell you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it. I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven; whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.” (NIV)

- Related Scriptures | Matthew 16:18-19, 2 Corinthians 5:17, Acts 2:47

Icebreakers:

Q: Do you enjoy watching documentaries?

Discussion Questions:

I. Paul met Jesus

Q: When Paul met Jesus on the road to Damascus, his entire life changed instantly. Do you recall the moment you truly met Jesus?

II. Ananias restored Paul's sight

Q: God sent Paul to Ananias for healing. How has God used other people in your life to restore you?

III. Paul discovered his purpose

Q: Could you define your God-given purpose in a few sentences? How would you describe your purpose?

Get Practical:

Four spiritual action steps are: **Know God. Find Freedom. Discover Purpose. Make a Difference.** These steps are the beginning of starting a movement and making it last.

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