

GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE

PRAY TOGETHER

Ask someone in your group to open us in prayer.

OPEN DISCUSSION

William Borden's story began with a simple desire to explore the world, but what unfolded was a life fully surrendered to God's call. Reflect on a time you traveled. Perhaps on a mission trip, a service opportunity, or even a personal journey. Take a moment to share what made it unforgettable.

READ SCRIPTURE

Slowly read Romans 11:33–36, inviting the Holy Spirit to speak to your heart through the words. After reading, pause for a full minute of silent reflection. As you meditate, consider what Paul is revealing about God, and what is meant for the recipient.

DIG DEEPER

1) There's a lot about mystery that we'll never fully understand. Why do you think some people are held back from trusting Christ because of that mystery, while others are willing to place their full trust in Him?

2) Pastor CJ pointed out that worship isn't limited to music alone. When and how do you experience worship outside of a Sunday service?

3) We live in a culture driven by instant gratification, where patience and perseverance are often undervalued. How do you stay motivated in a long, obedient walk with God, especially when results or change aren't immediate?

4) In one way or another, we all try to control our environment. How might that desire for control be limiting your ability to trust, grow, or fully surrender to Him?

5) Pastor CJ said our identity is shaped by grace, which pardons sin, but doesn't make us perfect. How should that truth change the way we relate to God and interact with others?

6) William Borden arrived at a place of no reservations, no retreat, and no regrets through testing and sacrifice. When has your faith been challenged, how did that experience shape your understanding, and what did you learn from it?

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As we wrap up our time together, let's take a moment to close in prayer.

TAKE ACTION

Consider exploring opportunities for a mission trip. Pray about it, ask questions, and see where God might be calling you to go and serve.