



MEN LIKE JESUS

JAMES 5:12-20

LOOKING BACK (Care and Accountability)

- Take a moment for everyone to share any highlights from the week and any recent difficulties or challenges. Then take a moment to pray for these things.
- Ask, "How'd it go this week living out what we learned last week?"
- Ask, "Did anyone care for anyone or share the teaching from last week with anyone?"

LOOKING UP (Scripture and Questions)

- Summarize the teaching from James 5:12-20 and then have someone read it aloud.
- Pray and ask God to help the group learn together and obey what they learn.
- Discuss the following questions and support your answers with a verse in the passage:
 1. What would you say is the main point of this passage? (clarify where you see it)
 2. Do you typically treat prayer as your first response or as a last resort? What does our prayer life reveal about our confidence in Jesus? (Read Hebrews 4:14-16)
 3. Why should we feel some sense of responsibility for those around us who may not know what you know about Jesus?

LOOKING FORWARD (Goals and Commissioning)

- Set a goal as a group on how you can live out what you've learned from James' letter.
- Ask, "Who can you take through this study or who can you gather for a new study?"
- Pray and ask God to help everyone do what they committed to do.