

WEEK 3

The Facilitator Guide will help you lead the conversation. [Brackets] indicate simple cues for you, as a facilitator, not intended to be read aloud.

Conversation Starter:

If you could choose anyone to be your neighbor, who would it be and why?

[Play the Recap Video, then move on to the Discussion Questions.]

Discussion Questions:

Question I: Which do you enjoy more—receiving gifts, or giving gifts? What has been the most extravagant gift you've ever received?

• Read | Timothy |6:18

Question 2: How does Timothy's challenge to "be rich in good works" level the playing field for every Christ-follower regardless of the amount in our bank accounts? (Hint: "Rich" isn't a monetary figure, it's a choice to be intentional to serve others with our resource).

Question 3: In the message David shared, "God calls you and me to actively pursue meeting the needs of fatherless children." Why do you think God singles out this next step out for His followers?

• Read Matthew 25:34-40

Question 4: The natural focus of this passage is on helping the "least of these." Michael Chitwood from World Vision challenged us to not just see these individuals as those who suffer but to view them as siblings. How can this shift in thinking affect our response toward the hurting and marginalized?

Question 5: Be Rich is a powerful movement that creates good works throughout our local community and around the world. Share one next step that you feel God has prompted you to take as a result of this series. How can this group support you as you take that step?

Pray:

God has provided for each of us in so many tangible ways. Thank Him for caring for our needs and ask Him to direct each of us towards opportunities to help meet the needs of others.