



May 30, 2010
Sermon Based Studies
"Remember Not to Forget"
Deuteronomy 8:1-20

Group Member Guide

Take some time after the message and before your group meets to work through these questions. The discussion in the small group will be more valuable if you have done some preparation ahead of time. You don't need to complete all the questions in your group.

Deuteronomy 8:1-20 (New International Version)

Questions to reflect on and discuss—

1. What do you remember?
Name the last five winners of the Miss America pageant.
Name ten people who have won the Nobel or Pulitzer Prize
Name the last decade's worth of World Series winners.
OR
Name a few teachers who aided your journey through school.
List three friends who have helped you through a difficult time.
Think of three people who have taught you something worthwhile.

The lesson: The people who make a difference in your life are NOT the ones with the most credentials, the most money, or the most awards. They are the ones who care.

Is there someone on whom you are making an impact?

2. In the sermon, you heard the Bible's story line summarized in five words. Can you repeat those words?

3. Talk about times in your life when God has—
Led you, or
Tested you, or
Humbled you, or
Provided for you
What were some lessons that you learned from any of these?

4. From Deut. 8:5, what is God's relationship to us? How does this affect your view of the difficulties you have (or will) face in life? Also, read Hebrews 12:5-12 (again; we have studied this passage before) and discuss how this helps you.

5. Would you care to share any times that you have forgotten about God or walked away from Him? How were you drawn back to Him?

6. How might the warning of verses 19-20 apply to you? What are the things that cause you to forget God? What will you do to make sure that these things do not come between you and God? (This question from the Serendipity Study Bible, p. 258)

7. Process the application made to KBC, the evidences of God's blessings in the past, and the application to future ministry in the Kenosha area.