

SMALL GROUP FELLOWSHIP: April 13, 2003

ROCK West: Join us for this month's leadership meeting on Monday, April 21 from 7:00 – 9:00 P.M. at the OB Woman's Club.

ROCK East: This month's meeting will be at Pastor Clint's home (8955 Ferguson Way, 92119) on Wednesday, April 23 from 6:30 – 8:00 P.M.

ROCK South: Join us for this month's leadership meeting on Saturday, April 26 from 8:00 – 9:30 A.M. at I glesia Evangelica Bethel 1200 E. 8th St. in National City.

Title: What Does Wisdom Say? Part 3 – Purely Wise

MEMORY VERSE: Can a man take fire to his bosom, and his clothes not be burned? Proverbs 6:27

SERMON REFLECTIONS

- 1. In **1 Kings 11:1-13**, we read about Solomon turning his heart from God. Solomon was the wisest man on earth; how could this have happened? What specific command from God did Solomon ignore? Discuss how the sin of one generation can affect future generations. What ultimately happened to Solomon?
- In the sermon, Miles described a gullible guy (Prov 6:32, 7:6-9, 7:22, 26) and a luscious lady (Prov 7:10-21). Does either of these describe you? As you discuss with your group, prayerfully consider your own life. If you realize that you are in one of these categories, spend some time in prayer and truly give it over to the Lord. (1 Cor 6:18) Have your accountability partner hold you accountable to change. (James 5:16)
- 3. We reviewed the consequences of sexual sin during the sermon. They are guaranteed to affect all areas of your life. Break into pairs, men with men and women with women, and ask each other the hard questions. Are you in sexual sin? Are you caught up in pornography? Are you secretly lusting after someone? What is your thought life like? Today is the day to change. Give it to the Lord and trust that he ALWAYS has a way out. Get wisdom (ladies **Prov 31**, men **Prov 4:1-9**), accountability (**Prov 27:17**), and a pure heart. (**Prov 4:23**, **1 Jn 1:9**)

CLOSER WALK (1 Corinthians)

- 1. The problem: you did not get your way ... what you expected did not happen ... your feelings are hurt ... and you are disappointed with another. The test of life: can it be said that "(insert your name) suffers long and is kind..."? 1 Cor 13:4 Growth hurts! The standard for comparison: 1 Peter 2:21-23, Phil 2:3-4, and 1 Peter 3:8-9
- 2. God's definition of love is found in **1 Cor 13:4-8**. Does your life show that you love? Would anyone else agree? (**Proverbs 27:2**, **John 14:21**)
- 3. What about serving Jesus when no one else sees what I do? (1 Cor 15:58, Heb 6:10, Heb 13:2)

HOMEWORK

Spend some quality time in prayer over the things you've discussed in your Small Group time. Search for Scripture to confirm the things God may be teaching you and pray how He might use you to biblically confront one another.



Announcements

Got skills? Skills that bring order, see details, and would bless others? The ROCK Administrative Team needs your help! If you have free time a few hours a week that you can help our Small Groups, Worship, or Youth Ministry with data entry, phone calls, and other office duties, we would be blessed to have you! To volunteer or intern with our staff, please contact <u>melissak@therocksandiego.org</u> or ext. 242.

Remember! Good Friday Services at O.A.T., 7:00! Bring an umbrella just in case!

Mission San Diego Discovery Group Leaders! If you filled out a blue card at week three of the Christian Life & Witness Course, we want to know who you are! Please contact <u>melissak@therocksandiego.org</u> with your name, address, and night you are available to host your group.

Calendar of Events:

- Monday, April 21 ROCK West Leadership Meeting. Ocean Beach Woman's Club, 2160 Bacon St., 7:00 9:00 P.M.
- Wednesday, April 24 ROCK East Leadership Meeting. Pastor Clint's home, 8955 Ferguson Way, 92119, 6:30 8:00 P.M.
- Friday, April 25 ROCK North Final Friday. For more information, contact <u>MarkH@therocksandiego.org</u> or ext. 256
- Saturday, April 26 ROCK South Leadership Meeting, 8:00 9:30 A.M. at Iglesia Evangelica Bethel 1200 E. 8th St. National City, 91950

May 8-11: Mission San Diego with Billy Graham