

The ROCK Small Group Fellowships

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SMALL GROUP FELLOWSHIP: April 27, 2003

DUNAMIS: The ROCK monthly prayer gathering will be **Tuesday, April 29 from 7:00 – 9:00 P.M.** at the Mission San Diego offices (3940 Ruffin Rd). Our prayer focus will be the upcoming Billy Graham Mission.

CU@DaQ Student Prayer Rally: Join thousands of students at Qualcomm Stadium as we surround it in prayer before the Mission on Saturday, May 3rd from 10-11:30 A.M.

ROCK Married Couples Retreat: June 20-22 at the Hyatt Regency in Palm Springs. This retreat is limited to the first 100 couples. Sign ups begin this Sunday.

ROCK University Upcoming Events: Catalina Island Weekend, **June 27-29**, Faith Class/ Wilderness Trip at Hume Lake, **September 13-19**, and Grand Tour to Israel, **November 9-22**.

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Title: What Does Wisdom Say? Part 4 - Wise Wealth

MEMORY VERSE: How much better to get wisdom than gold! And to get understanding is to be chosen rather than silver. **Proverbs 16:16**

SERMON REFLECTIONS

- 1) The American Heritage Dictionary defines knowledge as: familiarity, awareness, or understanding gained through experience or study. If wisdom is the correct usage of knowledge, explain how we get wisdom? (**Prov 8**) Will God give us wisdom in all areas of our lives? (**Prov 8:14**)
- 2) This world seems to constantly strive to be wealthy. In the sermon, Miles mentioned 5 things that are better than riches (**Prov 8:11, 11:4, 19:14, 22:1, 25:11-12**) Review each of these things in your Group and discuss why these things are better than riches.
- 3) Why is tithing important? (2 Cor 9:6-8, 2 Chron 31:5-10) Are you tithing? If you are tithing, have you been blessed? If you are not tithing, why?

CLOSER WALK (2 Corinthians)

- 1) Your Thoughts: Paul talks about controlling our thought life (2 Cor 10:5). But what does he say about 'comparisons' and 'being commended' in the rest of this chapter?
- 2) Your Situation: Paul responded to a 'difficulty' that was left in his life. What lesson did he discover? Can you say the same concerning problems that are not removed from your life? (2 Cor 12:7-10)
- 3) Your Position: Paul speaks to the Galatians about attempting to grow in faith by our own efforts. What is the point? (Gal 3:1-7, 24)

HOMEWORK

Where have you been going to seek wisdom? Spend some quality prayer time this week asking God to show you where you get wisdom. Ask Him to reveal His wisdom to you as you spend time in His word this week.



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Announcements

"The secret of each Mission has been the power of God's Holy Spirit moving in answer to the prayers of millions of His people around the world. If we did not believe that there would be the same prayer support for Southern California, we would not attempt a Mission here. We are depending on your prayer support!" - Billy Graham

Dunamis - Join us on **Tuesday, April 29 from 7:00 – 9:00 P.M.** at the Mission San Diego offices, 3940 Ruffin Rd. Our prayer focus will be the upcoming Billy Graham Mission. For more information, contact <u>SuzanneL@therocksandiego.org</u> or ext. 230.

Surround the Stadium - CU@DaQ

A student prayer event for all of the aspects of the Mission. There will also be a time of praise and worship led by a local student worship team. WHY? We are to reach ALL of the students for Christ in the San Diego area, we have to unite together as Christians to make this type of an impact on our community. Come and pray for every aspect of the Mission.

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 melissak@therocksandiego.org with your name, address, and night you are available to host your group.

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 melissak@therocksandiego.org or ext. 242.

Calendar of Events:

- ? **DUNAMIS** The ROCK monthly prayer gathering will be Tuesday, April 29 from 7:00 9:00 P.M. at the Mission San Diego offices (3940 Ruffin Rd).
- ? **CU@DaQ -** Saturday, May 3, 200310:00-11:30 A.M. at Qualcomm Stadium. Questions? Need more information? Contact us by email at info@MissionSD.com or by calling the Mission Office at 858-277-2003.
- ? Married's Retreat The ROCK will be hosting its first married couples retreat this June 20-22 at the Hyatt Regency in Palm Springs. Plan to join us for this weekend getaway! Sign ups begin this Sunday, May 4 and the retreat is limited to the first 100 couples.

ROCK University, welcomes everyone at the ROCK to participate in some exciting upcoming events. "Draw near to God and He will draw near to you." James 4:8

- ? **Catalina Island Weekend**, June 27-29th. A weekend of fellowship, kayaking, hiking, camping, solitude, bonfire, and much more.
- ? **Hume Lake**, September 13-19th. Faith Class/ Wilderness Trip. In the majestic Sierra Nevada Mountains. Enjoy a week of hiking, camping, & especially increasing your faith.
- ? **Grand Tour to Israel**, November 9-22nd. A 14 day adventure to the beautiful city of Jerusalem and surrounding towns. Walking through the Bible and experiencing where our faith began.

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