

The ROCK Small Group Fellowships

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SMALL GROUP FELLOWSHIP: May 4, 2003

Mission San Diego with Billy Graham is this week!!! Be sure to attend the appropriate volunteer briefing at Qualcomm this week. If you haven't received your letter in the mail notifying you when to attend, contact the Mission office at (858) 277-2003 or visit The ROCK website for details.

ROCK Married Couples Retreat: June 20-22 at the Hyatt Regency in Palm Springs. This retreat is limited to the first 100 couples. Sign up in ministry alley after services.

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**.

For more information, contact Octavia Jarmin at octaviaj@therocksandiego.org or ext 239.

Attention All Ladies! If you're anywhere from 16 to 100 years old, plan to join us for a "Girls Weekend Away" at Murrieta Hot Springs **August 15-17!** Registration begins June 29, cost is \$139.00. Begin saving now and invite your Small Group and your friends!

Title: What Does Wisdom Say? Part 5 – Wise Guy and His Tongue

MEMORY VERSE: A soft answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger. **Proverbs 15:1-2**

SERMON REFLECTIONS

- 1. Do you talk too much? (**James 3:5-12**) Why is this dangerous? (**James 3:8**) What does it mean to "tame" the tongue? How has not taming your tongue affected you in the past? Do you need accountability in this area?
- 2. The summary of Sunday's sermon was to, "wait as long as you can to say as little as possible." Read through the following Proverbs and discuss how each one can be implemented in your life.

A) Prov 10:19 E) Prov 17:27-28 B) Prov 15:1-2 F) Prov 18:13 C) Prov 29:11 G) Prov 15:28

D) Prov 29:20 H) Prov 16:1

CLOSER WALK (Galatians)

- 1. Christians fulfill part of a promise to Abraham. Check out the promise and see where you fit in: **Galatians** 3:29. Genesis 12:2-3. and Genesis 15:5.
- 2. Test Time! Galatians 5 has two lists of characteristics Galatians 5:19-21 and Galatians 5:22-23. What are these lists of characteristics called? Which list best identifies your life and lifestyle?
- 3. Ephesians **Chapter 1** is as "packed" a chapter as exists in scripture concerning a Christian's wonderful blessings in Christ. Here are a few: selection (**Eph 1:4**), access 'adoption' allows us to come into God's presence anytime (**Eph 1:5**), position (**Eph 1:6-7**), destined for heaven (**Eph 1:13-14**) There are more, can you find them?

HOMEWORK

Mission San Diego with Billy Graham is **this** weekend!!! Continue to pray for whomever God would have you invite and bring to this event. Keep the Sunday bulletin flyer in your Bible so you can follow the prayer calendar in order to pray specifically for the event and the follow up.



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Announcements

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.

MISSION SAN DIEGO VOLUNTEER BRIEFINGS:

• May 5

<u>Usher</u> Briefing from 7-9 p.m. at Qualcomm Stadium <u>Accessibility Team</u> Briefing from 7-9 p.m. at Qualcomm Stadium

• May 6

<u>Counselor</u> Briefing from 7-9 p.m. at Qualcomm Stadium <u>Booktable Worker Briefing</u> from 7-8 p.m. at Qualcomm Stadium <u>Counselor Supervisor Briefing</u> from 6-7 p.m. at Qualcomm Stadium

May 7

Adult Choir Grand Rehearsal from 7-9 p.m. at Qualcomm Stadium

Co-Labor Briefing from 7-9 p.m. at Qualcomm Stadium

Make-Up Counselor Supervisor Briefing from 10-11 a.m. at Qualcomm Stadium

- 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.
- Attention all Ladies! The ROCK women will be having a weekend away at Murrieta Hot Springs this August 15-17! Registration begins June 29, cost is \$139. For more information, email **kristins@therocksandiego.org**

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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