

rGroup Guide

ORDER IN THE COURT

Pastor Miles McPherson | September 22, 2019

Recite the Do Something Disciple Prayer

"As a Do Something Disciple, I am in a disciplined pursuit for the heart of The Father, a heart that is being perfected in love for God and people.

Father give me a heart that:

- Desperately seeks face-to-face intimacy with You.
- Faithfully avoids that which displeases You.
- Humbly embraces a Kingdom Mindset.
- Values making disciples that make disciples.

Jesus, create in me a heart that:

- Values being guided by the Word of God.
- Gratefully grows in generosity.
- Nurtures a burden for lost people.
- Demonstrates a commitment to a Spirit-filled expression of my gifts.

Holy Spirit develop a heart in me that:

- Gracefully gives and receives forgiveness.
- Passionately worships God.
- Is dependent on the power of prayer.
- Serves with Humility.

"Father, with Christlikeness as my goal and the Holy Spirit as my Guide, knit my heart with Yours. Fill my heart with Your passions, motivations, and desires. In Jesus' Name, Amen."

Sermon Application Questions from Sunday's Message:

Last weekend, Pastor Miles started a series on the Courtrooms of Heaven. The message was specifically on "Order in the Court." In his message, he paralleled the similarities between courtrooms here on Earth, and the courtroom in Heaven.

Discuss the following statements below in your group and read the accompanying verses:

- Jesus' death on the cross was a LEGAL transaction. (Colossians 2:13-15)
- The courts of heaven are where prayers, as legal arguments, are deliberated and decided on. (Daniel 7:9-10; Daniel 7:26)
- What is the order of the court?
 - A. God, as JUDGE, makes legal verdicts in the courts of heaven. (Psalm 89:14)
 - B. Jesus, as MEDIATOR, gives us access to God (1 Timothy 2:5)
 - C. We are SEATED in Christ at the right hand of God, the Father. (Ephesians 2:4-7)
 - D. The Holy Spirit GUIDES us through the courts and helps us pray the right prayers. (Romans 8:26-28)
 - E. The blood of Jesus SPEAKS redemption, forgiveness, and hope. (Hebrews 12:22-24)
 - F. God has documented a prophetic testimony of our life in a BOOK. (Psalm 139:15-16)
 - G. There is a cloud of WITNESSES that have gone before us. (Hebrews 11:39-40; Hebrews 12:1-2)
 - H. Satan, our ACCUSER, has legal access to the court to bring our accusations against us day and night. (Revelation 12:10)

Next Steps:

- Everything About Money Class September 23rd 7-8:30 pm sdrock.com/rflclass
- Young Adults United September 26th 7pm sdrock.com/united
- One Day LIFE Class September 28th text "LIFE Class" to 52525.

Monthly Memory Verse: MALACHI 3:8 (NKJV): *"Will a man rob God? Yet you have robbed Me! But you say, 'In what way have we robbed You?' In tithes and offerings."*

This Week's Bible Reading

- Nahum 1-3: <u>https://thebibleproject.com/explore/nahum/</u>
- Habakkuk 1-3: <u>https://thebibleproject.com/explore/habakkuk/</u>
- Zephaniah 1-3: <u>https://thebibleproject.com/explore/zephaniah/</u>
- Haggai 1-2: <u>https://thebibleproject.com/explore/haggai/</u>
- Zechariah 1-14: https://thebibleproject.com/explore/zechariah/
- Malachi 1-4: https://thebibleproject.com/explore/malachi/