

“It’s Time to Look to Him”

Start Talking: Use the conversation starter below or create your own!

- Share a highlight from the past week. What is something that made you smile?

Key Scripture: Read the following together.

“Sing, O barren, You who have not borne! Break forth into singing, and cry aloud, You who have not labored with child! For more are the children of the desolate Than the children of the married woman,” says the Lord. 2 “Enlarge the place of your tent, And let them stretch out the curtains of your dwellings; Do not spare; Lengthen your cords, And strengthen your stakes. 3 For you shall expand to the right and to the left, And your descendants will inherit the nations, And make the desolate cities inhabited. 4 “Do not fear, for you will not be ashamed; Neither be disgraced, for you will not be put to shame; For you will forget the shame of your youth, And will not remember the reproach of your widowhood anymore. 5 For your Maker is your husband, The Lord of hosts is His name; And your Redeemer is the Holy One of Israel; He is called the God of the whole earth.” Isaiah 54:1-5

1. What does this scripture tell me about me?
2. What does this scripture tell me about God?

Start Sharing: Choose a question (or several) to create openness and discussion.

- What are some things you can regularly do to better partner with God and allow Him to lead you in life the way He wants to?
- Describe a time you heard God speak to you through His Word?
- What benefits come when we wait on the Lord? What does it look like to “wait” for you? (Proverbs 8:34-35)

Start Praying: Pray together and for one another.

“Father, I declare this will be a year that I look to You. I’m calling on You to speak to me, to lead me. Help us to make time for you every day. To listen to Your word, to be in Your presence, to discern Your voice by the Holy Spirit. Lord, let this be a year that we hear You so clearly that we would know, that we know, that we know that we are led by You. In Jesus’ name, amen!”