

# AT THE MOVIES

## **At The Movies, Week 3**

*God's truth is everywhere, even in your favorite movies. This month, you'll gain real-life wisdom while watching some of your favorite films and feel uplifted and inspired.*

**Conversation Starter:** *Have some fun as you break the ice.*

- Name your go-to movie theater snack.
- If you could go back and revisit a time in history, what would it be and why?

**Key Scriptures:** *Let God's word frame the conversation. Take a minute to read this selected passage together as a Group.*

- *Hebrews 1:38 ; James 1:2-4; Joshua 1:9; Ephesians 6:3*

**Discussion Questions:** *Pick a few questions below to guide your time.*

**Starting Sharing:** *Choose a question or two to create openness.*

- Do you tend to make decisions based on instinct or intel?
- Where do you feel under attack this season? (In your job, marriage, friendships, parenting, etc?)
- Share a difficult experience you didn't expect or desire but wouldn't change having been through it.

**Start Thinking:** *Choose a question or two to think critically about the subject.*

- How can life trials and difficult seasons grow and shape your character and faith?
- Why is looking back and remembering God's faithfulness critical to confidently facing storms?
- Fear and anxiety surface when we fixate on the past or fret about the future. How can we begin to be fully engaged in our present circumstances?

**Make it Personal:** *Choose a question or two to help you identify your best next step.*

- How can you trust God with whatever circumstances you are facing today?
- Where have you personally seen God show up in your storms? Thank Him for his presence!
- What people are in your life who can help bring perspective and care when life gets difficult?

**Next Steps:** *Everybody has a next step. Check out some ideas below to help you grow by doing.*

- **Reflect:** Reflect on specific ways God has shown up in your story.
- **Remember:** Remind yourself of God's unchanging character. He can be trusted no matter what.
- **Stand:** Don't give in. Stand on the ground you have with God's help and the help of others.

**Prayer:** *Invite God to do what only He can do!*

Heavenly Father, thank you for your unchanging character and nature. Because you have been faithful in the past, you can be trusted in our present and future. Thank you for being present with us in the storms of life. Amen.