



# LifeGroup Discussion Questions

## Finding Hope Where We Least Expect It | October 17, 2021

### Summary

We find hope, for now, and in the future, in the resurrection of Jesus Christ and by being citizens of God's Kingdom.

### Scripture

After his suffering, he presented himself to them (apostles) and gave many convincing proofs that he was alive. He appeared to them over a period of forty days and spoke about the Kingdom of God. -Acts 1:3 (NIV)

Again he said, "What shall we say the kingdom of God is like, or what parable shall we use to describe it? It is like a mustard seed, which is the smallest of all seeds on earth. Yet when planted, it grows and becomes the largest of all garden plants, with such big branches that the birds can perch in its shade." -Mark 4:30-32 (NIV)

### Let's Start

Growing up, what was the general feeling about Christianity in your community?

### Gratitude and Prayer

What happened this past week that you are grateful for? What would you like to pray for today? How did God work in your life since the last time we were together? What is He doing through you as it relates to your Adopt 7?

## Let's Talk

1. What did you learn from Dr. Paul Borden's sermon which impacted you?
2. How do we remain people of hope in the midst of our current world scene?
3. What is the Kingdom of God?
4. Dr. Borden talked about being "social martyrs." How would you define "social martyr"? Do you feel like a social martyr at times?
5. How would you describe the way views on Christianity have changed in the last 50 years?
6. What did Jesus do during the 40 days between His resurrection and going back to heaven? What can we learn from this?

## Let's Act

Who is one person with whom you could share the promise of the kingdom of God?

## Notes

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