

SMALL GROUP SOCIAL

JANUARY 24, 2024

BEGINNING OF THE NIGHT

1. Please have one of your leaders take attendance using the Church Center app!
2. Tonight the theme is Question Night, so students get to ask leaders the questions!
3. Hand out a piece of paper and a pencil to each student in your group.
4. Tell them they are going to ask YOU questions for a few minutes. They can ask you questions:
 - a. About yourself
 - b. About your opinions
 - c. About God and spirituality
 - d. About anything they can think of!
5. Give students a minute to think of and write down their question, then turn them in to leaders.
6. Leaders take turns reading out loud and answering the questions.
7. *Use discernment when answering questions. If you don't feel comfortable answering, you don't have to, especially if the question is not appropriate.

SMALL GROUP SPIRITUAL

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END OF THE NIGHT

1. If you could summarize tonight's lesson in one word or phrase, what would you say?
2. What did Abraham have to do that was challenging, and why was it challenging?
3. Have you ever given up or lost something that meant a lot to you? How did it feel?
4. How do you think Abraham got the faith to trust God in this story?
5. How was Jesus hinted at in the story from tonight? In other words, how does tonight's story of Abraham connect to Jesus?
6. What does the word "sacrifice" mean to you?
7. Why would God want us to sacrifice certain things in our lives?
8. What are some examples of things God might want a middle schooler to sacrifice?
9. What benefits come from sacrifice? What challenges come from sacrifice?