

FUSION Q's... Christ In You 11: Sharing God's Mysterious Plan

Discussion Questions

- Q1. What stood out to you from the talk tonight?
- Q2. Why do you think prayer is important for believers?
- Q3. What is the most difficult aspect of praying/communicating with God?
- Q4. Have you ever prayer for your friends who don't know Jesus? Why or not?
- Read 1 Peter 3:15-16 and 2 Corinthians 2:14-17***
- Q5. If someone were to ask you why you have hope, what would you say?
- Q6. Just like Paul, Peter stresses the importance of how we talk to people who don't know Jesus. Why is the way we speak so important to the good news about Jesus?
- Q7. If you were to imagine the best aroma on earth, what would it be?
- Q8. According to Paul, your life produces this incredible aroma, that God loves. What do think about God being pleased with your life?

Q9. What is the link between the way you live your life and being a participant in God's mission rather than a spectator?

Q10. What would it look like for you to be more of a participant in God's mission to seek and save the lost?

Bible Passages

1 Peter 3:15-16

¹⁵ Instead, you must worship Christ as Lord of your life. And if someone asks about your hope as a believer, always be ready to explain it. ¹⁶ But do this in a gentle and respectful way. Keep your conscience clear. Then if people speak against you, they will be ashamed when they see what a good life you live because you belong to Christ.

2 Corinthians 2:14-17 (NIV)

¹⁴ But thanks be to God, who always leads us as captives in Christ's triumphal procession and uses us to spread the aroma of the knowledge of him everywhere. ¹⁵ For we are to God the pleasing aroma of Christ among those who are being saved and those who are perishing. ¹⁶ To the one we are an aroma that brings death; to the other, an aroma that brings life. And who is equal to such a task? ¹⁷ Unlike so many, we do not peddle the word of God for profit. On the contrary, in Christ we speak before God with sincerity, as those sent from God.