

JESUS

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Matthew 16:24-25 Then Jesus told his disciples, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me. For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it."

OVERVIEW

Jesus did not say, "I have come that you may have safety and have it abundantly." He came to give us a big, bold, messy life where we see God's power unleashed and walk in His authority and live in His victory and shine with His joy.

TODAY'S VERSES:

Matthew 16:24-25
Job 13:15
Ezekiel 3:1
Revelation 10:1
Isaiah 20

2 Corinthians 11:25-29
Exodus 9:23-34
Exodus 19:16-19
Psalm 29:1-11
Ezekiel 1:4

Psalms 104:1-7
Matthew 16:25
2 Corinthians 12:9
1 John 4:18
2 Timothy 1:7

JESUS WASN'T SAFE DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

DISCUSSION

Are safety and security the same thing?
If not, discuss the difference.
How was Jesus secure, but not safe?

EXPLANATION

Read Hebrews 12:1-4

Why do you think many Christians believe that if they truly trust God, He will take everything they enjoy away?
Why is it so hard to remember everything we have, that we consider good, is already a gift from God's hand?

APPLICATION

Read Hebrews 11:37-40

What "hurts" has Jesus given you that has made you trust Him more?
What challenges have you faced that have actually strengthened your faith (on the back end)?
How are you "playing it safe" in your life?
How could not playing it safe lead to greater faith and hope in our lives?

MISSION

How can you help other people, who don't know Jesus, beat "the scared"?

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

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NEWCOMER PARTY

This Friday, 7p RSVP:
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MOTORCYCLE RIDE

December 7th, 10a

AGAPE DINNERS

11/24 or 11/27
Sign up for a dinner:
<http://goo.gl/43brFW>

CHRISTMAS FOR KIDS

December 7th
<http://goo.gl/SF1IPB>