

Small Group Bible Study Discussion

John 16:16–33

1. **Jesus tells His disciples that their sorrow will turn into joy.**
How does this promise change the way you think about seasons of grief, disappointment, or waiting?
2. **The disciples struggle to understand what Jesus means about “a little while.”**
When God’s timing feels unclear or confusing, how do you usually respond?
3. **Jesus speaks about asking the Father in His name.**
What does it look like in real life to pray with confidence, trusting that God hears and cares?
4. **Jesus acknowledges that His followers will face trouble in the world.**
What kinds of trouble most test your faith, and how do you typically cope with them?
5. **Jesus says He has told them these things so they may have peace in Him.**
What practical steps help you stay anchored in Christ’s peace when circumstances feel overwhelming?
6. **Jesus ends with the powerful statement: “Take heart! I have overcome the world.”**
How can this truth shape the way you face fear, uncertainty, or opposition this week?