



Small Discipleship Groups Sermon Guide Questions 11 SEPTEMBER 2022



Conversation starters to begin:

What one person, past or present, have you looked up to or admired in your life and why?

Before you proceed:

Same as last week, read aloud **Ephesians 2:1-10**. This week, consider the passage next to the Sunday sermon on the life and work of English missionary, Helen Roseveare. *Ask God to enliven and guide your group now in your reading and discussion.*

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The Good Works of Helen Roseveare
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1. Recall a time you had to, either by choice or force, get out of your “comfort zone”? What happened -- what did you learn?
2. Discuss this quotation from Helen Roseveare: “God never uses a person greatly until He has wounded them deeply. The privilege He offers you is greater than the price you have to pay. The privilege is greater than the price.”
3. Can you relate to such a “privilege” in your life of faith? If yes, how so?
4. Discuss another quotation from Helen Roseveare: “If you think you have come to the mission field because you are a little better than others, or as the cream of your church, or because of your medical degree, or for the service you can render the African church, or even for the souls you may see saved, you will fail. Remember, the Lord has only one purpose ultimately for each one of us, to make us more like Jesus. He is interested in your relationship with Himself. Let Him take you and mold you as He will; all the rest will take its rightful place.”
5. Speaking of a relationship with God, how is yours right now? Are you resisting being molded, and if so, how?
6. Revisit the question, what good work may God be nudging you to do now or in the near future? Are you paying attention to that nudge? What is keeping you back?
7. Pray with each other as it flows from the discussion.

