

Week 2:

It's Not An Option



Questions

1. What stood out to you in this message? What was most surprising?
2. Where are you acting as a missionary today? What specifically about Aaron's message broke your heart?
3. Read 2 Chronicles 19:4. Who are you/can you turn back to the Lord?
4. The influences of the global youth culture affect this next generation all over the world. (Four Key Influences on Global Youth Culture: Entertainment Industry, Internet Stars, Video Games and Pornography) Previous generations had different influences. What influenced you growing up? Where do you see these new global youth culture influences at work?
5. Aaron emphasized that the underlying issue of secular humanism (the religion of self) isn't a logic issue, it's a spiritual issue. How does this perception break your heart for this generation?
6. Aaron shared a lot of information that can easily feel overwhelming. We looked at 2 Corinthians 4:4, "The god of this age has blinded the minds of unbelievers. . ." Go back and read all of 2 Corinthians 4. Read it out loud and look at this verse within the bigger picture Paul is sharing. How does this bring you hope? What specific steps are you inspired to take this week to bring a Godly influence to the next generation?

Scripture References

Read 2 Corinthians 4:4a, Nehemiah 1:4, 1 Thessalonians 2:8b

Takeaways

- We need to become cross-cultural missionaries to our own people in our own cities.
- Secular people have become suspicious of religious institutions and are far less likely to come to a church event.
- Secular people today do not have the same assumptions as previous generations.
- Secular people are still interested in spirituality.

Weekly Action Step

This week had so much challenging information, watch the message again and share with someone.