

# LIFE GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE

## CRAFTED: 1 Corinthians 6:1-11

### #9 They will know us by our love

#### TRUTHS TO DISCOVER - Read 1 Corinthians 5:1-13

- \*Why did Paul think it was not good for believers in a dispute to use the law courts to resolve their differences? (vs. 1-6)
- \*What things does he suggest they do instead? (vs. 2-8)
- \*What kind of people does Paul say will not inherit God's kingdom? (vs. 9-10)
- \*What does Paul say had happened to the Corinthian believers? (vs. 11)
- \*How did the change take place in their lives? (vs. 11) Was it a perfect change?

#### TRUTHS TO DISCUSS

##### 1. Godly character really matters now & for eternity (6:1-11)

- \*What are some traits of godly character? Why is each one important?  
Biblical examples: James 3:17; 4:6; 5:7-9,16; Colossians 3:12-17
- \*What is one character trait that you would like to strengthen? Why?

##### 2. Believers in Christ possess divine wisdom, power & character qualities that many in the world don't have (6:9-11)

- \*Which one of Paul's list of 9 qualities of unrighteousness surprises you? Why?
- \*What does Paul say was true of the Corinthian believers?
- \*What do non-Christians think when believers live like unbelievers?

##### 3. Trust the spiritual leadership of your local church (6:4-6)

- \*Why is church membership important?
- \*Elders at Rockpoint have the responsibility to oversee the spiritual health of our church, while the Deacons are responsible for certain serving/care ministries. Why are both roles important?

##### 4. Resolve disputes by practicing the character of Christ

- \*Read Romans 12:14-19; Ephesians 4:31-32 and Philippians 2:1-11
- \*List the principles & commands these passages say about resolving conflict?  
Rom. 12 \_\_\_\_\_  
Eph. 4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Phi. 2 \_\_\_\_\_

- \*Share personal examples of how you can apply these to your own life.