

Life Groups Discussion Guide

"Daniel: Movement of Belief" 9-28-25

Icebreaker

If you could control your dreams, what kind of dream would you have? Like a superpower or something?

Scripture Reference

Daniel 4:1-3; 36-37

Intro

Has there been a message from this series that has stuck out to you? What and why?

Pastor Matt said that his mom, Mrs. Sherry, had anxiety about a missing bill, and knowing where it was through a dream.

Have you ever had a dream like this? Or maybe have heard of others who have encountered answers to questions or problems through dreams?

Pastor Matt, at the end, told us about a dream he had that Pastor Tony interpreted that the little toddler-aged girl as Elevation Life Church.

What does this image of "raising" the church stir in you about your role in caring for the church family?

Takeaway: "Hearing truth is not the same as understanding truth."

Pastor Matt said that King Nebuchadnezzar heard the truth of his dream but missed the point of it, and that led him to be proud.

Can you think of a time when you "heard" God's word but misunderstood or misapplied it? What was it, and how did you learn from that?

God was tired of the king's pride. God took action and revealed it in a dream, and Daniel interpreted it to him.

Why do you think God takes pride so seriously? How have you seen pride disrupt your life or maybe someone you know?

Takeaway: "We should move from belief that, to belief in."

Pastor Matt told us the reformation in the 1500s gave us the vocabulary to understand the differences in the "beliefs."

Noticia - Notion. Just facts.

Assensus - Assent. Agreeing belief.

Fiducia - Arresting. Active. Trust!

If you were honest, where do you find yourself on this belief scale? Are there other theological points that maybe you aren't at a fiducia level? (ex. Communion, Water Baptism, Worship, Prayer, The Trinity, etc)

What is one practical step you can take this week to deepen your faith from simply agreeing with truths about God to actually trusting Him with you life?

CLOSE

Ask for prayer requests and pray, prayer!

Make sure they bring someone with them to the LG or to church on Sundays!

Thank them for coming!