

NewSpring Church Groups Study Guide

Christmas Party — Week 1 — Invitation Extended

It feels like some people get all the breaks; a great job, amazing spouse, and kids that behave. God seems to bless them and they get to do great things. Others of us feel stuck...as if life is passing us by. The truth is that God has invited all of us into an incredible life that is beyond anything we could ever imagine.

- Think about what you were doing five years ago. What were your goals and dreams at the time? At that time, did you think you would be doing what you are today? Are you disappointed or encouraged by your situation?
- Can you remember a time when you were doing something mundane and God showed up in a big way?
- In what areas of your life do you feel stuck?
- Read Deuteronomy 28:2-6. God promised to bless every avenue of our lives, but first asks us to seek Him and obey Him. After reading this passage, do you feel like you are waiting on God or is He waiting on you?
- Over the past year, how has God changed you?

Ephesians 2:21 says that “we are God’s workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God has prepared in advance for us to do.” God has started a work in you that he has promised to complete! If you feel stuck in any area of your life, know that God wants to accomplish His purposes through you. Are you allowing God to change you? Are you open to something new?