## **Quest Connect Groups**

Quest Connect Groups meet each week to discuss the message from Sunday, encourage each other, and grow in faith together.

Stop by the information center or visit our website for a list of groups, contact a host and make the connection this week.

Childcare is available at the church for Wednesday night groups.

Register online by midnight Sunday for childcare service this Wednesday

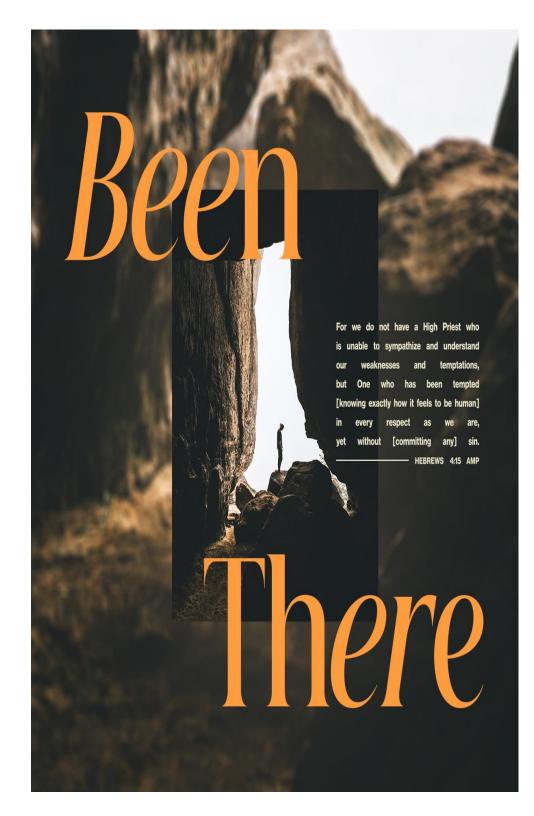
- 1. Do you have any favorite Easter memories or traditions?
- 2. Which part of this message was most impactful for you and why?
- 3. What are some ways that our culture teaches us to take control of our destinies? How easy or difficult is it for you to surrender to God?
- 4. Share about a time when you were tempted to control, but chose to surrender instead. What did you learn about God through that experience?
- 5. Read **Matthew 10:39**. What do you think it means to "lose your life"? How could "losing" your life actually help you find it?
- 6. Is there something in your life that you're trying to control that God wants you to surrender? What's one step you could take to surrender to Him this week? Pray for your groups strength to surrender control this week.

#### The Quest Church

We exist to proclaim the Good News and offer help for life's hurts.

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# Been There – 1 Surrender Control

Then Jesus went with them to the olive grove called Gethsemane, and he said, "Sit here while I go over there to pray." He took Peter and Zebedee's two sons, James and John, and he became anguished and distressed. He told them, "My soul is crushed with grief to the point of death. Stay here and keep watch with me." He went on a little farther and bowed with his face to the ground, praying, "My Father! If it is possible, let this cup of suffering be taken away from me. Yet I want your will to be done, not mine." Then he returned to the disciples and found them asleep.

Matthew 26:36-40

Matthew 26:42

Proverbs 3:5-6

They found that the stone had been rolled away from the entrance. So they went in, but they didn't find the body of the Lord Jesus. As they stood there puzzled, two men suddenly appeared to them, clothed in dazzling robes. The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground. Then the men asked, "Why are you looking among the dead for someone who is alive? He isn't here! He is risen from the dead! Remember what he told you back in Galilee, that the son of Man must be betrayed into the hands of sinful men and be crucified, and that he would rise again on the third day." Then they remembered that he had said this. So they rushed back from the tomb to tell his eleven disciples — and everyone else — what had happened.

Luke 24:2-9

Luke 24: 11-12

And just as they were telling about it, Jesus himself was suddenly standing there among them. "Peace be with you," he said. But the whole group was startled and frightened, thinking they were seeing a ghost! "Why are you frightened?" he asked. "Why are your hearts filled with doubt? Look at my hands. Look at my feet. You can see that it's really me. Touch me and make sure that I am not a ghost, because ghosts don't have bodies, as you see that I do." As he spoke, he showed them his hands and his feet. Still they stood there in disbelief, filled with joy and wonder. Then he asked them, "Do you have anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he ate it as they watched.

Luke 24:36-43

\*\*\*Next Step Reading: Luke 24\*\*\*

### **Next Sunday @ The Quest**



Have you ever been hurt by a friend? Jesus has. Maybe you feel like God isn't listening? Jesus knows what that's like. No matter what you're facing, Jesus understands because He's *Been There*.

#### Join Us @ The Quest for

Connect Groups Spring Semester Begins
Wednesday, April 3rd

TeenQuest Refresh Weekend Friday & Saturday, April 12-13th

SheQuest Spring Retreat Saturday, April 20<sup>th</sup> @ 8:30am

### **Coming to The Quest**

Sundays @ 6pm - TeenQuest for HS & JH Students Mondays @ 6:30pm - Re:generation Recovery Group

Mar 31 – Connect Groups Spring Semester Begins

Apr 05 – Quest Prayer Focus, 11am

April 12 – 13 – TeenQuest Refresh Weekend

April 20 – SheQuest Spring Retreat, 8:30am

April 28 – Discovering The Quest for Newcomers, 10am

May 05 - Child Dedication Seminar, 10am

May 05 – Quest Church Prayer Focus, 11am

May 12 - Child Dedication Ceremony

June 5 – KidsQuest Camp Meeting, 6:30pm

June 09 - TeenQuest Camp Meeting, 10am

Text Giving Available – Text "thequestrc" to 833.420.4255

<sup>\*</sup> View messages with the Quest App – "thequestrc" or online at www.thequestchurch.com