

Film School

I Am Legend// group Questions

The opening shot. The set-up. The characters build and the plot wraps up. Roll credits. That's a typical film experience. But it also could be true of a lifetime. Movies are entertaining but they can also be life-changing. What can the big screen show you about your life? This series will help us uncover God's unchanging truth from the scenes of four very different movies.

Walk Away Point: We are called to carry the light of Jesus to the world.

Leaders: Choose questions from these suggestions to help your group process, personalize, and take action on this week's message. Don't feel like you need to do them all and try not to read from the sheet.

Icebreakers:

1. What's your favorite movie of all time? Why?
2. If you saw this one, did you pee your pants during this movie? Do you consider this movie scary? Why or why not?

What do I think?

1. How can the symbolism in this movie help us understand how we can be a light in the world?
2. Would you say your life seems more in the dark or in the light? What makes you feel that way?
3. Do you get the thing about Jesus' blood saving us? What questions do you have about that?

What does God say?

1. Read Ephesians 5:8. NLT *For once you were full of darkness, but now you have light from the Lord. So live as people of light!* What do you think living as people of light looks like in your world?
2. Read Matthew 5:14-16. NLT *You are the light of the world—like a city on a hilltop that cannot be hidden. No one lights a lamp and then puts it under a basket. Instead, a lamp is placed on a stand, where it gives light to everyone in the house. In the same way, let your good deeds shine out for all to see, so that everyone will praise your heavenly Father.* How could you see this playing out in your life?

What steps will I take?

1. Have you made a decision to be a light? What will you do to make sure your light shines brightly to the world around you?
2. What areas of darkness around you do you feel God calling you to go bring light to? What's your first step to doing something about that?

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Group Challenge:

Jesus Himself talked about being a light a lot in the gospels. Challenge your students to go deeper into the Bible this week to see how God has called each one of us to carry the light of Jesus to the world. Send them a different passage each day. Challenge them to talk with their peers on The Well page on Facebook. Let's get that thing hopping!

John 1:1-18, John 3:16-21, John 12:44-50, Matthew 5:14-16, Ephesians 5:1-20, 2 Corinthians 4:1-12