# VISION SUNDAY Discussion Guide

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# **GR8FUL**

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# Main Idea

Throughout this year, we've witnessed numerous extraordinary moments, we've heard countless testimonies of God's miracle-working power and experienced His kindness and faithfulness as a church and a community as we've consistently pursued His heart. What things are you seeing in your heart that God is saying to place in His hands?

#### Habakkuk 2:2 (NKJV)

Then the LORD answered me and said: "Write the vision And make it plain on tablets, That he may run who reads it.

#### **God Is Our Source**

God is our source, not your job, not the government, not that potential lottery / scratch-off ticket. He will never give you a life where He's not necessary.

What have you been trusting in as your source?

Read: 2 Corinthians 5:7; 1 Corithians 6:8; Matthew 6:26; Hebrews 10:25

# Relationships Sustain Us

We are passionate about our HC Groups, HC Connect, and Dream Team.

Who have you been living life together with? What difference has it made in your life? Read: Hebrews 10:25

# **Attitude Creates Opportunity**

People are watching our attitudes which can create opportunities for impact.

When have you noticed your attitude shift the atmosphere? What was the outcome? Read: Philippians 4:13; Isaiah 61:3; Psalm 95:2; Philippians 4:8

#### Trials Are A Teacher

Lean on Jesus, because our humanity ends up leaning on things that can't hold us up.

What have you been leaning on? What has it taught you?

Read: Romans 5:3-5

### **Experience Expands Us**

When you trust God In every season you will bear fruit.

How have your experiences expanded you?

Read: Habakkuk 3:2; Psalm 1:3

#### Faith Is Our Foundation

You can not build a healthy marriage, healthy children, or an atmosphere of joy and peace without a firm foundation.

Where have you seen God's faithful in your life and family this year?

Read: Romans 10:17; 1 Corinthians 16:13

#### **Unfailing Love Follows Us**

When you are at your lowest, God desires to give you His best.

Where are you seeing God's love tailgating you?

Read: Psalm 23:6

#### Laughter Is Our Medicine

Choose to laugh about things that could ruin a moment.

What can you laugh about today that caused you tears before?

Read: Proverbs 17:22

## **SUMMARY**

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- R- Relationships sustain us
- A- Attitude creates opportunities
- T- Trials are a teacher
- E- Expectations expand and grow us
- F- Faith is our foundation
- U- Unfailing love follows us
- L- Laughter is our medicine

# **CALL TO ACTION**

- Will you prayerfully consider giving a special end-of-year Hope for the House gift? http://hopecity.com/give/
- 2. Consider all the options (<u>HC Groups</u>, <u>Dream Team</u>, <u>Serve projects</u>) of not just living in the house but doing life with the family.
- 3. Register to serve at our Hope For Christmas project. Click HERE

# **GROUP LEADER RESOURCE**

Game: Gift Wrap Up

Have participants pair off. Tie one person's right hand to their teammate's left hand. The duos will then attempt to wrap a gift using their free hands. Have an example gift for everyone to attempt to duplicate — the harder it is to create, the funnier. Give a time limit of 1–3 minutes and then have a judge pick the most accurate gift.