

STUCK

The Book of Numbers

#mc3stuck



Discussion
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“STUCK IN THE PAST”

02/23/25

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 You Should Pass On What You've Learned

The Repeats (required)

They are the same, but WE change, so please discuss these with your group

- [Share the announcements (on FB thread) with your group]
- Share your God Moments: how have you seen God working, either in your life or in the life of another over the past week?
- Last week, we discussed Galatians 6:7-8. How has this verse affected your life this week?
- As a result of the *Stuck* series, what have you changed to follow Jesus better?

The Reminder (required)

Read this section briefly to review the Point for everyone

- This Week's Point:
**When You're Stuck at the End,
 You Should Pass On What You've Learned**
- This Week's Object Lesson:
Water Relay--fill the bucket with cups
- This Week's Bible Passage & Focus Verse: **Numbers chs. 25-36**
So The LORD [told Moses], "Take Joshua son of Nun, who has the Spirit in him and lay your hands on him. ...and publicly commission him to lead the people." (Numbers 27:12-23; v.18-19, NLT)
- Have each person draw a picture to represent the story in this week's Bible passage. Be creative. Briefly share.

The Reflection (required)

Discuss these to go deeper, *and more personal*, into applying the Point

- As Christ-followers, we've all had a Moses (someone who poured their cup into us). Tell us about your Moses.
- Sean discussed three points related to emptying your cup:
- **You Have Something to Empty Out.** Close your eyes and take a few minutes for the following self-reflection (not to be answered out loud):
 - We all have something in our cup. What is it that you are pouring out? Gratitude, joy, hope, peace? Or criticism, negativity, complaining, gossip?
- Now, **read Psalm 71:17-18.** What is something that God has done in your life that you could use to encourage fellow Christ followers? What is something you have learned from your failures that could serve as a warning to fellow believers?
- **You Have Somebody to Pour Into. Read 2 Timothy 2:1-2.** Share a time when you have influenced someone (positively or negatively). In light of verse 2, what are some real-life ways that we can put this into practice with others at MC3? What are the possible consequences if we don't?
- **You Have SomeONE to Help You. Read Matthew 28:19-20.** Going forward, how should this passage change our view of discipleship (passing on what we've learned)? What makes you feel unworthy to disciple others (ie, where do you need to ask Jesus for help in order to pour out more effectively?)
- **HOMEWORK! Read Psalm 71:17-18 thru the week.** Come prepared next time to share how this verse affected your life this week.
- Leaders: please include this in your prayer time, "God, thank you for the Moseses that you have placed into our lives, who have poured out their cups for our benefit. Thank you that you've given each one of us something worth sharing. As we reflect silently, help us to recognize those who are waiting for us to pass on what we've learned. [moments of silence] Thank you for your promise to be with us always. Amen.

Green Questions: Have a few people answer these, then **GO!** to the next question

Red Questions: **STOP!** on these and **take time** to have many people discuss