



HOW TO BE **BRAVE** GROUP LESSON

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Everyone of us is faced with challenges, problems, and issues that sometimes come at us like a roaring lion, and yet we are told to just stay calm, but how? Be anxious for nothing the Bible says, but how? In the face of an uncertain tomorrow, with unknown news, there is a known God who has a way for us to live each day without fear. It's time we learn how to be BRAVE.

Growing means changing. Share with the group some changes this series has brought into your life. Read Ephesians 6:10, 2 Corinthians 5:17, and Galatians 2:20. Which of these verses do you relate to most right now? Why? Discuss as a group the commonalities of these verses and how it practically impacts living brave.

Read John 17:20-21. What is Jesus saying when He says, "You are in me and I am in you." Share something that needs to change in your life for that to be lived out more fully. We must change patterns if we want a different product. How can you begin making that change this week? How can the group help?

Read Acts 1:8 and Psalm 23:5. God's presence is what prepares us to be brave. What does being in God's presence look like for you? Read Deuteronomy 9:1-3. Share a story where you have stepped out and seen God do the miraculous.

Read Deuteronomy 7:1-2, 1 John 4:4, and Colossians 2:6-7. What is an area you sense God calling you to step out and be brave in today? What is your first step? How can you take that step today? How can the group help?

Pray for increased faith in what is possible with God's power at work within us. Pray for Holy Spirit to empower each person to walk into miracle territory this week. Give thanks to God for His desire to see us live fully alive as we respond to His voice.

Note: If you aren't in a community group, let us know you want to take that next step. Email us at NextSteps@communitychurch.info. Group is not about a meeting, but instead people coming together to build relationships with each other and Jesus while they do this thing called life. No matter where you find yourself in life, there is a group that is right for you, and we'll help you find it.