

Discussion Questions "Fierce Comforter" - Lost in Translation June 8-9, 2019

Group Creed

We come together as a Group with the goal of Spiritual Formation; encouraging one another to become the same kind of person that Jesus is, so that we can live out every part of our lives inside of His Kingdom.

// Bible References

Isaiah 66:13, 49:14, 2 Corinthians 1:3-4

// Community Questions

1. What was your mother like when you were a child?

// Core Questions

- 1. Are you a fierce comforter to the people under your influence? Do you guard, train, and comfort them as God himself would?
- 2. As a mother, have you loved, cared, and poured yourself out, each and every day, giving everything you have to the little people God has entrusted to your care. And like that image of God as the eagle, have you ALSO spurred those kids onto greater things, trained them in the way they should go?
- 3. As wives, have you used your voice to encourage the husband that you co-lead with? Have you spurred him onto greater things for the sake of your family, or have you used that voice to tear him down?
- 4. At work, do you display strength by guarding, training, and comforting the people you oversee (or that oversee YOU), or do you display strength by steamrolling people? As students, how would others describe you at school, or on the field?
- 5. As friends or neighbors, do you fiercely comfort the people around you? Or do you gossip and tear others down behind their backs?
- 6. Is there anyone that you would consider your comfort, or do you usually feel isolated?

// Challenge

There are two things I would like to challenge you with this week. First, seriously contemplate the questions from above all week, at least the ones that apply to you. Pray that God would reveal to you where you could improve on being a fierce comforter.

Second, if you do not already have a go-to person that is available and willing to comfort you in your time of need, begin to take steps to find someone. That could be a family member, your husband, or this very group. As 2 Corinthians 1:3-4 states, that is also supposed to be God. So, spend some time in the Word this week, allowing His truth to soak into you and fill you up, so so that you can be ready to comfort those around you fiercely.