



Group Leader
Discussion Guide
Week 1 - Battle Ready

Announcements:

21 Days of Prayer and Fasting January 2026
Youth One Night January 4
Growth Track January 18
Youth Winter Retreat January 23-25
Life Group Leader Meeting Jan 25
2026 Missions Interest Meeting January 25

DISCUSS IT

1. Do you tend to set New Year's resolutions? What is one way you'd like to grow closer to God this year?
2. What do you think it looks like to be battle ready when it comes to our faith? What does it look like to prepare for this type of battle?
3. This week we focused on the importance of consistency. Discuss how you see what it says in James 1:6–8 and James 2:17 in your life today.

4. Pastor Jared listed four things needed to see transformation. Where do you think you need to intentionally focus? Which one of these is the easiest for you to do?
 - Small things done consistently outweigh big things done occasionally.
 - Don't give up when things aren't changing as fast as you thought they would.
 - Enjoy the growth process over the outcomes.
 - Don't try to be perfect. Be consistent.
5. What are you going to do this year to grow closer to God and be battle ready? (Attend consistently, serve, join a group, lead a group...)

RESPOND TO IT

What have you learned about God from His Word? How is He asking you to apply it to your life? When will you apply?

