

Icebreaker

Who were your best friends in high school and are you still in contact with them?

(Just a side note, icebreaker questions aren't my strong suit, feel free to insert your own!)

Discussion Questions – Super Bowl Sunday RELATIONSHIPS

1 *What examples of marriage are we given in the Bible?*

2 *Why do you think it is so hard to continue a relationship for the long haul?*

Read 1 Corinthians 13:1-3

3 *Why do you think love is so much more important than all the other things listed in these verses?*

4 *How do you see love fitting into NLC's prayer for all attendees to Know Jesus, Find Community, Discover Purpose, and Live the Mission?*

5 *How did Tim say all people intuitively do relationships? (Out, in, up) Why do you think this is the typical way to do it?*

UP: Read Matt 22:37

6 *What is the first and greatest commandment?*

7 *What does this commandment mean to you?*

Read Eph 5: 22,25

8 *How does God fit into the examples of the marriage relationship?*

9 *Does this change your view of what a marriage relationship should look like?*

IN: Read Psalms 139:23, Lamentations 3:40, Matt 7:4

10 *Who is searching/examining us in these verses? (God and me)*

11 *How can this get messed up if our relationship with God isn't as it should be?*

OUT:

12 *As humans, what is the easiest way to evaluate others?*

13 *Read Romans 5:6-8. How should we look at ourselves?*

14 *As sinners like the rest of humanity, how should that fact affect our view of all of our relationships, and especially our marriage relationship?*

Application

15 *What is one thing you can do to ensure you are looking inward first in your marriage and other close relationships?*

As always, feel free to make this study your own. These questions are only discussion starters to help you get the conversation going.