

Monologues Week 4/4: Who is your ONE? October 10 & 11, 2020

LEADER PREP

GOAL OF SMALL GROUP

To guide students to see themselves as always on mission. Whether it's at school, at home, or at practice-we exist to share our stories with those who don't know Jesus.

SCRIPTURE

John 4:28-30 [the woman's response]

THINK ABOUT THIS

When we get to share our lives and our story with others and make an impact, it gives purpose to the pain and unfortunate situations that we experience. Students don't quite understand this yet, but we have the chance to walk them towards this understanding!

THINGS TO KNOW

You are awesome!

This guide is a suggestion, not a formula. Adjust the questions and activities as needed, and don't feel like you need to do, or ask, everything you see here. Let the students and the Holy Spirit guide the conversation, too.



CONVERSATION GUIDE

MAIN POINT

Your story is meant to interact with other stories.

GET THEM TALKING

Would you rather eat no candy at Halloween or no turkey at Thanksgiving?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. What was the main point from the talk today?
- 2. Do you believe that is true? Why or why not?

Have someone paraphrase the beginning of John 4, then read John 4:28-30 together.

- 3. Why was this woman by herself at noon?
- 4. What was the first thing the woman did after this encounter with Jesus?
- 5. Maybe you haven't been married 5 times like this woman, but are there things in your past that you are not proud of? Either things you chose or things that happened to you beyond your control.
- 6. Do you think there are others who have experienced the same things we have?
- 7. What prevents us from sharing our stories with others, even though it may help?

NEXT STEP

Keep praying for ONE friend who does NOT know Jesus or who is NOT involved in any church. Pray that your story can interact with their story.

PRAYER GUIDE

Close your time together in prayer.

SCRIPTURE

MS students are concrete thinkers, so opening your Bible to read the Scripture with them is a preferred visual cue.

JOHN 4:28-30

"The woman left her water jar beside the well and ran back to the village, telling everyone, ²⁹ "Come and see a man who told me everything I ever did! Could he possibly be the Messiah?" ³⁰ So the people came streaming from the village to see Him."