

 **LIFE Group Discussion Questions for July 16/17, 2016**

**GUIDELINES:** LIFE Group Discussion Questions are meant to be a tool used to help guide your time together. You may or may not fit all areas and questions into your time. Additional resources such as the LIFE Group Video Question can be found each week at: [www.crossroadschurch.com/Ministries](http://www.crossroadschurch.com/Ministries) under ‘LIFE Group Resources’.

**Enjoy your time and let God lead you!**

**KICKING IT OFF:**  If you could be an Olympic athlete, which sport would you compete in? What’s your favorite ice cream flavor?

**MEMORY VERSE***: “For it is written, “AS I LIVE, SAYS THE LORD, EVERY KNEE SHALL BOW TO ME, AND EVERY TONGUE SHALL GIVE PRAISE TO GOD.” Romans 14:11* (NASB)

**GROUP DISCUSSION:** *LIFE Group Video Question – Visit* [*www.crossroadschurch.com/ministries*](http://www.crossroadschurch.com/ministries) *under the LIFE Group Resources Tab to access the Video and Video Group Question.*

**GOING DEEPER:**

1. What part of Pastor Chuck’s message impacted you most this weekend? Why do you think it had such an impact on you?
2. What does it mean to “accept” others with a “weaker” faith than our own? Read Romans 14:1-3.
3. Share a time when you were in each of the following seats- judging of another Christian and under the judgement of a fellow Christian. Read Romans 14:4.
4. Is there a difference between judgement and accountability of a fellow Christian? Give examples of each. What is the difference? Does the same apply to non-Christians?
5. What obstacles or stumbling blocks do we tend to place between our brothers and sisters in Christ and Jesus? Read Romans 14:13-15.
6. In the end, will we be accountable for judging others or loving others? How would people’s perception of Christians change if we were known for the way we loved others rather than the way we judged?

***Love Like Jesus Loves***

* Pick a day this week and commit to intentionally loving like Jesus for a full 24 hours. Don’t let circumstances or frustrations sway your commitment.

***Intentional Intimacy***

* This week in your daily time alone with God ask Him to show you how you could be more loving and less judgmental. To fellow Christians and non-believers alike. Ask God to show you if there is a specific person you need to seek our forgiveness with.

***Fully Surrendered***

* How can you be less judgmental of how others have chosen to use their time, talent and treasure?

 ***Experience More***

* When is the last time you stepped out of your comfort zone and took a leap of faith? How and/or where do you feel God currently calling to go, do or say?