



Jesus Never Said THAT: Do Whatever Makes You Happy

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Virtual Life Group Discussion:

Encouragement:

Use the descriptors from [Philippians 4:8](#) [true, honorable, just, pure, lovely, commendable, excellent, worthy of praise] and ask group members to share how God has shown them something of these today/ this week. How did that bring you joy?

Scripture:

Reflect on [Matthew 7:24-27](#) together.

What makes Jesus worthy and big enough to be our solid rock, our foundation?
(encourage participants to pull these straight from scripture)

What kinds of sand do we unwisely choose to stand on? Name something specific that you return to again and again thinking it will make you happy, but instead leaves you unfulfilled.

Prayer:

Use [Psalm 18:1-3](#) to pray for one another- that we may stand firm on Jesus, our Rock. That our joy would be found in Him even as we walk through the storms and valleys.

Next Steps:

How will you trade sand for the Rock this week?

Continue to encourage one another to "[Be the Church](#)" by connecting with one of the four initiatives: Errands, Essential Workers Support, Community Masks, Care Packages.