

LG DISCUSSION LIFEGROUPS GUIDE

Use these questions in your Life Group gatherings or for further discussion as a family.

A PLEASING AROMA | JANUARY 1, 2023

SERMON RECAP | Colossians 1:10

We all have an aroma, one that either pleases God or not. While Jesus is at the core everything that pleases the Father, our actions create an aroma. How will you deal with your spiritual stink this year?

THE LEAD IN

- What smell/scent reminds you of something positive in your past? Please explain. Alternately, what smell/scent reminds you of something hard or difficult? Please explain.

GETTING INTO THE TEXT

- What is sanctification? As a group, come up with a definition and identify several real life and Biblical examples of it.
- Read either Galatians 5:13-26 or Colossians 3:1-17. How do you see sanctification explained or exemplified in these texts?
- Sanctification has several aspects to it. How do the terms “Position and Progress” fit into your discussion on the topic?

GOING DEEPER & PRAYER

- Read Galatians 4:19. “Christ formed in you” requires a sacrifice of self! How have you seen growth happen in your life? Pray this for each other!
- Read 2 Corinthians 2:12-17. The “aroma” of Christ can be both pleasing and disturbing to others. Who in your Oikos needs to “smell” Christ in you this week/month? How can you expose them to Christ? Pray for this!