



'THE JESUS APPRENTICESHIP'

Session 5: Passionate Disciples

Group questions:

1. Think of someone you have seen or know who you think is wholehearted (they don't have to be a Christian). What is it that makes you think of them as wholehearted?

2. Read Deut 6:5 & Mat 22:37-38. Dallas Willard says:

*"The people who love God with all their heart are those whose will is totally devoted to what is **good for God.**"*

What do you think about how he describes wholeheartedness here?

3. Read Matthew 10:37-39. What does Jesus mean when he says those who lose their life for him will gain it?

4. Why do you think God wants children who are wholeheartedly for Him?

5. Aaron shared three practical tips for being wholehearted on purpose:

- A daily quiet time
- Regular time asking God to search our hearts
- A 'Coming Back' phrase

Discuss these and any other tips you have for living wholeheartedly for Jesus.

6. What are some of the things that stop us from living wholeheartedly for God?

6. Aaron spoke about how it is impossible to live this way without the help of the Holy Spirit. Share with one another how/if you have learnt to daily invite the Holy Spirit to help you live wholeheartedly for Jesus.

7. Aaron finished with this definition of wholeheartedness:

"Wholeheartedness is our response to His love, with love by the Spirit"

Finish by praying for one another that this might be increasingly worked out in our day to day lives.