SUNTRIBO MINISTRIES · SMALL GROUP GUIDE

Placing the Pebble: A 6-Week Study

For small groups, classes, and outreach teams. Each session: open in prayer, read the passage aloud, discuss, practice, and pray for people by name.

How to Use This Guide

Plan 45-60 minutes per session. Read Scripture in context and let the text lead. Practice in pairs every week, because confidence grows by doing. Close each meeting by praying for specific friends and family who don't yet know Jesus.

Session 1: The Big Idea

Read: 1 Corinthians 3:5-9

• Who were the 'pebble placers' in your own journey to Christ?

• Why is it freeing that God gives the growth?

• How could this change the way you measure 'success' in evangelism?

This week: Place one pebble. Pray for one name.

Session 2: What Makes a Good Pebble

Read: 1 Peter 3:15-16; Colossians 4:5-6

• What does it mean to answer with 'gentleness and respect'?

• Look at the five marks: biblical, simple, personal, respectful, memorable. Which is hardest for you?

• Write one question and one short testimony line you could share this week.

This week: Place one pebble. Pray for one name.

Session 3: Relationship and Listening

Read: John 4:1-26

• How did Jesus start the conversation with the Samaritan woman?

• What did He learn and say before He revealed who He was?

• Who is one person you can listen to this week?

This week: Place one pebble. Pray for one name.

Session 4: Sowing, Reaping, and Room to Think

Read: John 4:35-38; Isaiah 55:10-11

• Why might someone need time after hearing a truth?

• How can we give space without going silent about Jesus?

• Practice: in pairs, place one pebble, then stop and let it sit.

This week: Place one pebble. Pray for one name.

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Session 5: Keeping the Gospel Central

Read: Romans 10:13-17; 1 Corinthians 15:1-4

• Why must our pebbles lead to the gospel, and not just curiosity?

• Explain the gospel in under one minute: God, sin, Christ, repentance and faith.

• How will you know when to invite someone to repent and trust Christ?

This week: Place one pebble. Pray for one name.

Session 6: Continue the Relationship

Read: Matthew 9:35-38; Galatians 6:9

• What does faithful follow-up look like for you?

• Make a list of 3 names. Commit to pray for them daily.

• Share one story from these weeks of a pebble you placed.

This week: Place one pebble. Pray for one name.

Remember: You don't have to be the first, the most important, or the last person in someone's journey to Christ. Plant the pebble. Trust God with the growth.

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