



NEW LIFE CHRISTIAN CENTER
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GOD IS ALWAYS AT WORK DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

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CONNECT

Have you ever had something “bad” or awkward happen to you, but ended up being something good? Share it with your group!

ENGAGE

Can you share a time in your life when something didn’t make sense in the moment but later revealed God’s purpose?

GROW

1. Why do you think it’s so difficult to trust God when we don’t understand what He’s doing?
2. When you hear Romans 8:28, what part encourages you most—and what part challenges you?
3. In what area of your life are you currently asking “why,” and how could you begin to trust God instead?
4. Looking at the story of Joseph, what stands out to you about his response to hardship?
5. Where might God be working “behind the scenes” in your life right now, even if you can’t see it?
6. How can you stay faithful during seasons when it feels like nothing is happening?
7. How have challenges or difficult seasons shaped your character or faith?
8. What is one practical way you can remind yourself this week that “God is working—even when I don’t see it”?

CHALLENGE:

1. Identify one situation you don’t understand—and give it to God. Stop trying to control it. Start trusting Him with it.
2. Speak truth over your life daily. Say: “God is working—even when I don’t see it.”
3. Take one faithful step forward. Just the next step God is asking of you.

You may not understand everything. You may not see everything. You may not feel everything. But you can trust this: God is working. God is present. God is faithful. And one day, you’ll look back and realize—whatever it is. That even this... He used for good.