

HOME GROUP QUESTIONS: 2-21-2016 Feeding of the 5000

Read Mark 6:30-44

1. Where did these people come from and what was their need? Who was aware of their need?
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2. What was the Disciples response? What was Jesus response?
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3. Have you ever seen a need when you're tired and hungry? How did you handle that? Has the compassion of Jesus ever overrode your natural reaction?
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4. What did they use to feed all those people? How does Jesus take the needy and turn them into givers?
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5. Why did Jesus have them break down into smaller groups? What miracle did He perform?
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6. Would you have the faith to "break some off and pass to the next person"? Have you been in a position to see the Lord's provision and enter into His rest?
Ezekiel 34:31
7. Are you in the Lord's pasture? Is He truly your Shepherd? How do you know?
8. Jesus was moved by compassion for those people. Can you sense the Lord's compassion for you?
9. What are the two hands of the Gospel? How do we serve others spiritually and practically? John 14:23 - How can our faith intersect with a hungry, broken world?
10. What does it mean to be a "city on a hill"?
11. Are you at a place where your life intersects with those who don't know Jesus?
12. How can God use you to reach others, in spite of what you do, think or have?
13. Like the boy with the lunch, are you willing to share what you have? Are you satisfied with what the Lord has given you?