

QUEST 52

CHAPTER 5 | GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Watch:

- Watch this week's Group video on Chapter 5 at www.quest52.com/videos.

Intro Questions:

- What encouraged or challenged you from the sermon and/or the daily exercises this week?
- When you were young, what did you want to be when you grew up?
- What do you think people who knew you as a teenager thought you would grow up to become? How close is that prediction to who you are today?

Key Passages:

- **1 Samuel 24:5-7** - What can we learn from David's focus on God's role in appointing Saul as His authority?
- **Romans 13:1-2** - How do you apply this passage when faced with ungodly or seemingly unjust earthly authorities?
- **Ephesians 6:5-8** - Recognizing that "slaves and masters" in this culture had much more of a boss-employee relationship, how does this passage affect how you approach your job?

Group Discussion:

- If you could go back in time and tell one thing to your younger self, what would it be?
- On a scale of 1-10, how would you rate yourself on your attitude and ability to submit to the authorities in your life?
- Can anyone share an example of a time in their life when submitting to someone in authority worked out for the better?
- Why do you think God cares whether or not we obey the earthly authorities in our lives?
- What specific authority figure do you need to work to submit to this week?

Weekly Application:

- On page 33, we were challenged to ask a friend to identify an act or discipline we've been putting off? Who did this, and what did that friend say?
- Depending on when your group meets, you might not have reached the Hands section yet for the daily exercises of Chapter 5. If that is the case, reflect back on the following question from last week's Weekly Application. On page 27, we were challenged to share Jesus with someone that we know. Did anyone do that this week, and how did it go?