DISCUSSION GUIDE

CORE52 | #25 The Supernatural September 24 & 27, 2020



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- 1. When do you first remember hearing about angels, demons, and the spiritual realm? What did you think about it then?
- 2. What stood out to you from the sermon this week?

Unseen

- 3. Read Ephesians 6:12, Hebrews 1:14, and Revelation 20:10. What comes to mind as you consider these verses? Is God challenging you through anything in these verses?
- 4. Read Matthew 25:31-46. How is it supernatural to take care of someone?

Where do you think supernatural forces are more involved our lives than we realize?

- 5. Read Revelation 22:1-5. What are the most common misconceptions of heaven?
- 6. Pretend for a moment that you are God. If you couldn't use hell as described in the Bible, what would you do to carry out justice?

If heaven is perfect, people can't bring their problems (Rev 21:27). How would you (as hypothetical God) get only

perfect people into heaven?

How has this imaginative exercise revealed the glory behind God's planning? Take a moment to praise the Lord for His omniscience (all-knowing-ness).

Personal

- 7. If you were a demon, what would demon you do to destroy human you? Have you ever gone through that?
- 8. Which spiritual attack (accusation, deception, intimidation, etc) has made you feel vulnerable recently?
- 9. Which spiritual strategy (Scripture, praise, prayer, etc) have you found useful recently?
- 10. If you were an angel, what would angel you do to protect human you? Have you ever gone through that?
- 11. Which angelic task (announce Jesus, assist believers in purpose, affirm God's people, etc) are you most encouraged by recently?
- 12. What has this study taught you about the supernatural?
- 13. Why does it matter?

TAKEAWAY: Where in your world do you need to make Jesus known?

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