

# DISCUSSION GUIDE

PART 4: Beer With Jesus DATE: 08-14-2022

### **START**

We all have those nagging questions that we would like to ask Jesus. Questions that keep us awake at night, or questions we have resolved that will not be known until we meet Jesus face to face.

- What question would you like to ask Jesus?
- Why do you think you would be satisfied if you got your question answered?

#### **READ**

Job 2:4-5 (NIV)

"You said, 'Listen now, and I will speak; I will question you, and you shall answer me.' My ears had heard of you but now my eyes have seen you.

#### **THINK**

After Job lost everything, he wrestled with his identity and who God was. When we lose what is defining us we are left feeling empty and confused about who we are. Our identity is only truly found when we allow ourselves to be in God's presence.

- What in your life, if you lost it, would cause you to have an identity crisis?
- How has your suffering aided in your formation?
- What have you sought after that instead of forming you, disfigured you?

Job searches for God and finds Him. After God shows up he instead questions Job instead of answering Job's questions. This leads to Job having a transformative encounter with God, and is satisfied being in God's presence.

- How have you found God in your life?
- How can we be satisfied with God's presence even if our questions aren't answered?
- How can you continue to live in reality, be silent, and practice the presence of God?

## **PRAY**

"God, I know that my questions might never be answered. Even when I don't have answers, let me be satisfied in your presence knowing that the answer I've been searching for all along is you."

#### **ACT**

This week, take some time to realize the reality you are living in. Take ownership of what you can own and be silent before God, practicing being aware of His presence in your life.

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