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6 Aug 23 | Single-Mindedness | 1 Cor 7:25-40 | Nelson Schonfeldt

Groups & Families Discussion Questions

Follow along with the sermon and use these questions to dive a little deeper with your group, with your families at home or for your own personal reflection.

Sermon Notes: Can you identify the main point, the subpoints and application of today's message?

Life Group Questions

1. [Conversation Starter] What is the worst gift you've ever received?
2. What is the view of singleness in our relationship-happy world and in the church? Do you think it is viewed more negatively or positively?
3. In what ways could we implicitly be causing singles to feel "second rate"?
4. How does Paul view singleness in 1 Corinthians 7?
5. What reasons does Paul give that promote singleness as a valid and viable option? Evaluate the strength of his argument.
6. What are the implications of Paul's argument for us as a church? Is there anything we could be doing different or better?
7. For singles, what would need to shift in your singleness (attitude, action) in order to do singleness well by single-mindedly pursuing Christ?
8. For church broadly and us as a life group, how can we be family to singles?