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20 Aug 23 | Eyes on the Prize | 1 Corinthians 9:1-27 | 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's your favourite movie featuring a bodybuilder?
2. Recap Paul's flow of thought. How does 1 Cor 9 fit into the argument of ch 8-10?
3. Read 1 Cor 9:15-23. Make at least 10 observations of the passage including how many repeated words you can find.
4. What do you think was the primary purpose of Paul's life? In light of 11:1, what do you think that means for us? In your own time, reflect on how your life aligns with this.
5. What is evangelism and what are some best practice principles?
6. How does the idea of eternal reward make you feel?
7. Compare an athlete with a Christian (see 9:24-27). How does this encourage or convict you and what can you implement in your life?