

HOPE GROUP

STUDY & DISCUSSION GUIDE

GETTING TO KNOW ME

In our study of Nahum on Sunday, the theme was that of taking refuge in God. When times are difficult or confusing, how do you take refuge in God?

What specific qualities of God's character are most comforting to you?

INTO THE BIBLE

What are the major indictments against Nineveh given in Nahum 3:1-7?

What characteristics of God are showcased in Nahum 1:3; 1:7 and 2:2 would have brought comfort to the faithful remnant of God's people in Judah?

According to 2 Pet. 3:8-9, why doesn't God immediately take vengeance upon His enemies?

In Nahum 1:7, we find one of the most comforting passages in all of the Bible which is applicable to God's people of all generations. What is meant by the statement that God a stronghold in times of trouble and how does it apply?

Before Nahum's prophecy of destruction, Nineveh had been given ample opportunity to repent once for all, but failed. According to Hebrews 3:7-9,

is it possible for people to know that God is calling them to repent and resist?

If so, what causes people to resist God's voice in their lives?

On Sunday, we mentioned that the greatest evil in the universe is that God should be robbed of any of His glory. Read 1 Chronicles 29:10-13 and discuss this concept, and how it should impact the way we live.

APPLICATION

Discuss how Nineveh is reminiscent of our present culture and how believers should rightly respond to the evil we see around us today.