

- 1) Encourage each other! There are many examples of people in our church family who have honored their parents very well. If you know someone who has done that in your LifeGroup then honor them (Romans 12:10) for how they've carried out God's command!
- 2) Read 1 Samuel 2:12-17, 22-29... While there are no requirements given for the parents in God's command for their children to honor them, how does this passage describe God's expectations for parents?
- 3) Read Jeremiah 35:12-19... How does this passage describe the value God has placed on honoring parents?
- 4) Read Luke 14:25-33... By comparison, following Jesus may have the result of looking like we hate our family; especially if our family includes people who do not also follow Jesus. What kind of difficult decisions or actions have you had to consider along this line of honoring Jesus above your desire to honor your parents?
- 5) Through these conversations about honoring parents, what do you believe the Spirit might be leading you to do in order to carry out this command?