



CONNECTION GROUPS

Titus

When Paul referred to himself he would often call himself a bondservant. What does it mean to be a bondservant? Read Exodus 21:5-6. How does the position of bondservant relate to Christians today?

The ministry of Moses and Paul was influenced by their view of God. Read Exodus 3:11-14 and Titus 1:2-3 and discuss how Moses and Paul viewed God.

Read Titus 1:4-5. Rather than attempt to do ministry all on his own, Paul relied on Titus and encouraged the local church to appoint leaders to fuel the ministry in Crete. What can we learn from Paul's example as we engage in ministry?

Share an experience where you observed or were ministered to by someone who exemplifies the characteristics of a bondservant. What effect did this experience have on you?

The Great Commission in Matthew 28:16-20 lays the foundation for a Christian's involvement in ministry. As a group, discuss how a person can engage in responding to The Great Commission in your local context.

Paul encouraged Titus to directly respond to the local culture of Crete (see Titus 1:12-14). What is unique about Utah culture that can inform our local ministry?