

# Weeds In My Garden

## Leader Guide | Week 2

### Key Things You Heard

- Satan wants me to believe my life is meaningless and worthless, so what's the point?
- Satan lies about the consequences of our behavior.
- Satan lies about the nature of who we are.
- God creates a culture of light and truth.
- God tells you the true reality of your behavior.

### Pray

Heavenly Father, Change our hearts, minds, and wills. Let us to stop believing the lies of the enemy and start living in the truth of who we are in Jesus. Help us remember that you know us, which makes all the difference. In Jesus' name, amen.

### Tweetable Moments

"Satan is real and the battle is real. Ephesians 6:10-12."

"Let God tell you the true nature of who you are."

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### Questions for Conversation

**Icebreaker:** Break the ice by asking everyone what food dish they would want to prepare for the team. Ask how they learned to make it, why it's significant to them, and what powerful memory they associate with it.

- Read **Ephesians 6:10-12**. Why do you think this section of scripture starts, “Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power?” What is your first “go-to” to find strength? Why do we seek strength in other places besides God? How do you resolve the issue that our battle is not with flesh and blood? Especially when a person is standing right in front of you?
- As a group, look at the three lies that Satan tells us. Then, share about a time that you believed one or all of the lies. The three lies are:
  1. My life is meaningless and worthless, so what's the point?
  2. Satan lies about the consequences of our behavior.
  3. Satan lies about the nature of who we are.
- Read **Psalms 139:1-6**. Take each verse and discuss the benefits you gain from them. How do these verses, collectively, indicate that we are known by God?
- Read **Psalms 139:13-16**. Based on these verses, does God truly know you? Why? If God knew you then, does He know you know? What freedom does this give you? What should your response be because of this truth?
- Is there anything you'd like to share with the group so they can love you, pray for you, and help you?

### Now Go Do It (resources and next steps)

**Challenge:** Do you wonder what the bigger purpose of your life is? Perhaps watching these stories of the journey of people finding their bigger purpose will inspire you. You can find Made for a Purpose on RightNow Media. <https://app.rightnowmedia.org/en/content/details/328310>