

Comments & Questions for Leader/Facilitators

Week 6 Volume 2 DVD #1

I. Lesson Overview. Volume 2 DVD # 1 centers around strongholds, specifically lies we believe and the role they play in the sexual bondage arena. Satan want us to believe lies about ourselves as a result of our worst moments or as a result of wounds or trauma. Understanding God's unconditional love for us allows us to rewrite the lies attached to our wounds. When replaced with God's truth we can begin to experience God's extravagant grace.

II. Transparency/Accountability

Identify lies attached to the worst memories or moments of life. These contribute to driving addictive behavior. What was the message implanted in our soul from being abandoned as a child or parents divorcing? Some wounds occur over and over again such as neglect, verbal rejection and minimal affection. Other Trauma is extreme such as Combat experiences, sexual abuse, be punched etc. What is God's response to these?

III. Discussion

Watch volume 2 DVD #1. You can use your own questions but following are suggestions:

1. Ask each group member to identify a lie planted in their mind. Example. "I will never be healed." "I am stupid." "I will never get this right." " I am determined to look good on the outside even though I am a mess on the inside."
2. How do lies affect the way we see God, ourselves, and others?
3. Share one or more secrets you kept in your life that you now recognize contributed to your addiction.

IV Week 6 Mission. - Continue memorizing 1 Corinthians 6:13-20. Begin to memorize the foundational truths of Romans 6. Journal your struggles. Insure that the temptations of technology continue to be properly addressed. "Make no provision..." Prepare before you go to bed each night. Understand what situations and circumstances arouse you, what Roberts calls your "arousal template". The Holy Spirit will then warn you and prompt you to avoid or flee from them. Identifying possible buried wounds, trauma and the lies attached to them.