### WHY ATTEND MEN'S ROUNDTABLE?

### **PURPOSE - VISION - MISSION**

#### **Vision Session**

Summary: The Man who attends Men's RoundTable needs to know the purpose, vision, and mission.

Bible Verses: I Corinthians 16:13; Colossians 1:28,29; Hebrews 5:11-14;

Music: I'll Fly Away - Randy Travis; Bound for Glory - Tedeschi Trucks Band; Amazing Grace - Celtic Thunder

Video: Highlights of Men's Coaching Adventure Trip – Zion National Park

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PURPOSE-VISION-MISSION 1. Purpose (Why do we exist?) - The vision of Men's RoundTable is to provide a \_\_\_\_\_\_ for men to pursue spiritual, emotional, and relational growth. (Colossians 1:28, 29) 3. Mission (How do we plan to accomplish our vision?) - We offer a weekly forum that addresses relevant topics in a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ through the use of music, video, discussion, and lecture. (Hebrews 5:13, 14) WHAT QUESTIONS DO YOU ASK? 1. What are your \_\_ \_? What questions do you have about God and life? 2. When you look at yourself and your circumstances before you look at God, then you find yourself imprisoned to your own \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. You have lost your freedom. 3. There is \_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. What you believe or don't believe about God has profound implications to your freedom. MEN FIND FREEDOM IN GOD. 1. Too many men blandly accept the without dealing with the complexity. 2. Most men draw their idea of God from the \_\_\_\_\_\_(good or bad) of their lives. 3. Men who are Lions find out about God \_\_\_\_\_ . Christ is the standard for everything a Christian should think about God (John 1:14). 4. Freedom comes from seeing two critical truths about God: 1) He is \_\_\_\_\_\_ and 2) He is \_\_\_\_\_ (Romans 2:4; Hebrews 10:31; Psalm 50:21-23; Isaiah 55:8,9; Romans 11:34-36). 5. A man knows that God will never be \_\_\_\_\_\_ again (Romans 8:1, 33-39).
6. God has given ALL to \_\_\_\_\_\_ . He wants you to laugh, sing, and dance (Galatians 5:1). **ACTION: Journal** 1. Why do you attend Men's RoundTable?

#### **Bible Verses**

### I Corinthians 16:13

Keep your eyes open, hold tight to your convictions, give it all you've got, be resolute

2. What would you like to see happen in your life as a result of attending Men's RoundTable? 3. What action do you need to take to move toward a better life and a greater trust in God?

### Colossians 1:28,29

We preach Christ, warning people not to add to the Message. We teach in a spirit of profound common sense so that we can bring each person to maturity. To be mature is to be basic. Christ! No more, no less. That's what I'm working so hard at day after day, year after year, doing my best with the energy God so generously gives me.

### Hebrews 5:11-14

I have a lot more to say about this, but it is hard to get it across to you since you've picked up this bad habit of not listening. By this time you ought to be teachers yourselves, yet here I find you need someone to sit down with you and go over the basics on God again, starting from square one - baby's milk, when you should have been on solid food long ago! Milk is for beginners, inexperienced in God's ways; solid food is for the mature, who have some practice in telling right from wrong.

Some glad morning when this life is o'er I'll fly away
To a home on God's celestial shore
I'll fly away

I'll fly away, oh glory I'll fly away When I die, hallelujah, by and by I'll fly away When the shadows of this life have gone
I'll fly away
Like a bird from prison bars has flown
I'll fly away

I'll fly away, oh glory I'll fly away When I die, hallelujah, by and by I'll fly away Just a few more weary days and then I'll fly away To a land where joy shall never end I'll fly away

I'll fly away, oh glory I'll fly away When I die, hallelujah, by and by I'll fly away [x2]

### Bound for Glory - Tedeschi Trucks Band

Tell your story
Roll the truth around your head
Bound for glory
I ain't getting out of this bed
The sun comes struggling on
Yesterday's dead and gone

Tell your story
Put the night back in your veins
Bound for glory
I ain't coming to again
The sun comes struggling on
Yesterday's dead and gone

And I feel I'm bound for glory Dreaming in a cowboy song I feel I'm bound for glory

> Can you feel it? Bound for glory! Can you feel it? Glory bound! Can you feel it? Bound for glory!

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### **Amazing Grace - Celtic Thunder**

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound That saved a wretch like me I once was lost but now am found Was blind but now I see Twas grace that taught my heart to fear And grace my fears relieved How precious did that grace appear The hour I first believed

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound That saved a wretch like me I once was lost but now am found Was blind but now I see Though many dangers, toils, and snares I have already come Twas grace that brought me safe thus far And grace will lead me home Amazing grace, how sweet the sound That saved a wretch like me I once was lost but now am found Was blind but now I see Was blind but now I see

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PURPOSE VISION MISSION

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### 1. Purpose (Why do we exist?)

- To offer men a <u>relational environment</u> for Instruction, Inspiration, and Insight. (I Corinthians 16:13)

### 2. <u>Vision</u> (What are we trying to accomplish?)

- The vision of Men's RoundTable is to provide a <u>safe environment</u> for men to pursue spiritual, emotional, and relational growth.

(Colossians 1:28, 29)

### 3. Mission (How do we plan to accomplish our vision?)

- We offer a weekly forum that addresses relevant topics in a **dynamic interactive style** through the use of music, video, discussion, and lecture. (*Hebrews 5:13, 14*)

# WHAT QUESTIONS DO YOU ASK?

- 1. What are your <u>life questions</u>? What questions do you have about God and life?
- 2. When you look at yourself and your circumstances before you look at God, then you find yourself imprisoned to your own <u>selfishness</u> and <u>fears</u>. You have lost your freedom.
- 3. There is <u>a God</u> and <u>He's in charge</u>. What you believe or don't believe about God has profound implications to your freedom.

# MEN FIND FREEDOM IN GOD.

- 1. Too many men blandly accept the <u>clichés of the faith</u> without dealing with the complexity.
- 2. Most men draw their idea of God from the experiences (good or bad) of their lives.
- 3. Men who are Lions find out about God from Jesus. Christ is the standard for everything a Christian should think about God (John 1:14).
- 4. Freedom comes from seeing two critical truths about God: 1) He is **kind** and 2) He is **God** (Romans 2:4; Hebrews 10:31; Psalm 50:21-23; Isaiah 55:8,9; Romans 11:34-36).
- 5. A man knows that God will never be <u>angry at him</u> again (Romans 8:1, 33-39).
- 6. God has given ALL to <u>make you free</u>. He wants you to laugh, sing, and dance (Galatians 5:1).

# **ACTION: Journal**

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