



DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Week 3: You Are Never Alone

Purpose of the Gathering

This discussion is designed to help group members process the truth that following Jesus means we are never alone. Jesus promises His presence, shapes us in community, warns us of a real enemy, and protects us through the Holy Spirit and the Church. The goal is connection, encouragement, and practical next steps—not pressure to perform.

Opening Check-In (5–10 minutes)

- What is one moment this past week when you wanted to be alone?
- What is one moment when you felt alone—even if others were around?

Scripture Focus

You may read one or two of these together:

- Matthew 28:20 (NLT); Ecclesiastes 4:9–10 (NLT); 1 Peter 5:8–9 (NLT); Hebrews 10:24–25 (NLT)

QUESTION 1 - JESUS PROMISES HIS FOLLOWERS ARE NOT ALONE

Jesus said, “I am with you always.”

Why is it sometimes easier to believe Jesus is with others rather than with you?

When have you felt Jesus’ presence most clearly in your life?

How does knowing Jesus is always with you change how you face difficult seasons?

QUESTION 2 - JESUS SHAPES HIS FOLLOWERS TOGETHER, NOT IN ISOLATION

Jesus formed His disciples in relationship with one another.

Why do you think spiritual growth is harder when we try to do it alone?

What has helped you grow spiritually through relationships with others?

What tends to pull you toward isolation when life gets busy or heavy?

QUESTION 3 - FOLLOWING JESUS WAS NEVER INTENDED TO BE DONE ALONE BECAUSE WE FACE A REAL ENEMY

Scripture warns us to stay alert because we have a real enemy.

Why do you think isolation makes people more vulnerable spiritually?

Where do you see the enemy using discouragement, distraction, or isolation today?

How does community help protect us from spiritual drift or deception?

QUESTION 4 - THE HOLY SPIRIT AND THE CHURCH PROVIDE PROTECTION FOR FOLLOWERS OF JESUS

"The Spirit works within us, and the church walks with us."

How have you experienced the Holy Spirit warning, guiding, or encouraging you?

How have other believers helped you see blind spots or stay grounded?

What happens when we ignore those internal and external warnings?

Application & Next Steps

- What is one step you could take toward deeper connection right now?
 - Joining or re-engaging in a group
 - Asking someone to pray with you
 - Being more honest about what you're facing
- Is there someone God may be prompting you to walk alongside or encourage?

Closing Prayer

Invite group members to share prayer requests related to isolation, spiritual struggle, or a need for support. Pray together, thanking God that we are never alone and asking for courage to walk closely with Jesus and one another.