Discussion Questions Course 307–2

Large Group

1. If you were here for Lesson 1, what did we learn was even more dangerous than anger?

2. Last time-in Chris, Joy and Gizmo's adventure-who began to be controlled by anger?

3. If you saw the full video last week, what happened to Gizmo when he tried to help Chris?

4. What did Chris want to do to the boys?

5. Who advised David to take action against Saul?

6. Why did David choose to not harm Saul even though he had the perfect opportunity?

7. Have you ever been really angry?

8. Have you ever been so angry that it was difficult for you to think about anything else?

Small Group

Teaching

1. Did you know that anger can control us? Who allowed anger to control him in the Bible story; was it David?

2. Instead of holding tightly to anger, what should we do?

Discipleship Challenge

1. Would anyone like to share your family discussion of Galatians 5:25–26 from Lesson 1?

2. Did you ask the Holy Spirit to help you with any feelings of pride or jealousy? What was the result?

Additional Activities

Object Lesson

1. When we are angry and upset, and if someone mistreats us or insults us, it's very easy to fire back at someone with harsh words and an angry tone. Will this bring peace? What might it lead to?

Maze Activity

1. Imagine you were David. What might you be feeling as you hide from Saul?

2. How would it feel to be anointed as the king, yet have to run for your life?

3. Can anyone share a time when you trusted God even when you didn't understand what was happening in your life?

4. David's men encouraged David to take revenge on Saul. Did David listen to his men, or to what God was telling him in his heart?

5. Can you share a time that you felt pressure from others to do something that you knew wasn't right in God's eyes?