

CATALYST

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Study Guide

CATCH UP ON LIFE

TOPICS OF CONVERSATION: Sports, Music, Homework, Clubs, Family, and Life Events

GROUP ACTIVITIES/ICEBREAKERS

See Activity Descriptions at www.catalystmvmt.com/activities

- Human Spaghetti
- Who Would Win?
- Rock, Paper, Scissors...SLAP!
- Ice Water Trivia

CHECKOUT THE CONTENT

CATALYST AT THE MOVIES S2/E3 with Caleb Hamilton — 16 min 27 sec

Key Scripture: John 15:12-17, 2 Corinthians 5:14-18

Key Characters: Jesus, the Disciples, and You

Big Points:

- Without Jesus' death and resurrection we wouldn't have Christianity today.
- On the cross Jesus turned off the dark for **ALL** humanity, and in his resurrection he gave humanity a brand new identity, which was one of grace.
- Grace is a gift that is free and that is for everyone.
- There is nothing you can say or do that can undo what God has already done for you.

CREATE CONVERSATION

1. Of all four Toy Story movies, which one is your favorite and why?
2. Toy Story amazed audiences all across the world, why do you think people were so amazed by the movie? How could a movie about toys be amazing?
3. We are amazed by movies and their stories, special effects, and compelling characters ALL the time because we think they're awesome. Why then, when it comes to faith, do we often lose that sense of **AWE** and **WONDER** and **AMAZEMENT**?
4. After 3 sessions of Catalyst At The Movies in your groups try to come up with definitions for the following words that you can remember easily: **HOPE & GRACE**
5. Grace has nothing to do with what you do, but **EVERYTHING** to do with what Jesus did? Do you agree with that statement, why or why not? **PART 2:** if grace truly has **NOTHING** to do with what you do, then **WHY** do many Christians live their lives as if it did?
6. In your own words, what does it mean:
 1. To have **HOPE IN THE DARK**?
 2. For **HOPE AND YOU TO GO INTO THE DARK**?
 3. That **HOPE TURNED OFF THE DARK**?
7. Who in your life **NEEDS** hope, and how can you bring hope to them where they are at?