MENTOR/PARENT PAGES

A 40-DAY STUDENT DISCIPLESHIP JOURNAL



Thank you for mentoring a student who has recently begun the life-long journey of knowing and living for Christ! These MENTOR/PARENT pages are designed to help you start a conversation with your student during this big life step!

Your student is working through the 40-Day student discipleship journal, *I Am New*, and would love to hear from your heart as you offer your encouragement and support!

Find out more about the *I Am New* journal and other journals in the *I Am* series at <u>www.leadertreks.org/i-am-new-journal</u>.

MENTOR/PARENT PAGE CHAPTER 1: RECEIVING GRACE

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QUESTIONS TO GO THROUGH TOGETHER:

1.	Why is grace so important? How have you experienced God's grace in your life? Ask your men-
	tor how they have experienced God's grace in their life.

- 2. On Days 2 and 5, you made some very specific life applications in your Bible study. What were they? Did you follow through on them? Do you need someone to keep you accountable?
- 3. On Day 3, you were challenged to look for displays of God's grace, as well as confess how you've sinned. Share how that went with your mentor. Was it easy or difficult? Spend some time praying together, confessing sin and asking God to help you as you seek to receive his grace and show that grace to others.

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MENTOR/PARENT PAGE CHAPTER 2: RELYING ON THE BIBLE

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QUESTIONS TO GO THROUGH TOGETHER:

1.	Look back at Day 1, where you wrote down some questions you have about the Bible. Take
	some time to ask your mentor those questions and grow in your understanding of God's Word.

- 2. Ask your mentor how they practice the habit of relying on the Bible in their own life. Why is relying on the Bible an essential habit of a Christ-follower?
- 3. On Day 3, you were challenged to memorize Scripture. How did that go? How can your mentor help you as you continue to rely on the Bible through Scripture memory?
- 4. On Days 2 and 5, you made some very specific life applications in your Bible study. What were they? Did you follow through on them? Do you need someone to keep you accountable?

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MENTOR/PARENT PAGE CHAPTER 3: OBEYING GOD

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QUESTIONS TO GO THROUGH TOGETHER:

1.	What 's the hardest part of obeying God for you? Why is obeying God important?

- 2. Ask your mentor to share what's hard for them about being obedient and what has helped them grow in their obedience to God.
- 3. On Day 3, you identified an area you need to grow in your obedience to God. Share that with your mentor. How have you tried to be obedient? How can you continue obeying God?

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QUESTIONS TO GO THROUGH TOGETHER:

1.	What excites you about prayer? What m	iakes you nervous.	/uncomfortable a	about prayer?

- 2. On Day 2, you looked at Jesus' example of prayer. Based on that, what are important aspects of prayer?
- 3. On Days 2 and 5, you made some very specific life applications in your Bible study. What were they? Did you follow through on them? Do you need someone to keep you accountable?
- 4. On Day 3, you spent some time in prayer, writing a letter to God. Share with your mentor how that time went. Then spend some time together in prayer, putting this week's essential habit into practice.

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CHAPTER 5: WORSHIPING WHOLEHEARTEDLY

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QUESTIONS TO GO THROUGH TOGETHER:

1.	In your own words, what is worship? Why is it an essential habit of a Christ-follower?
2.	On Day 3, you practiced worshiping through an activity you love to do. Share with your mentor how that went. How else can you worship in your everyday activities?
3.	Ask your mentor how they make worshiping God a lifestyle and not just a Sunday thing. In what ways can you grow in your worship of God?
4.	On Days 2 and 5, you made some very specific life applications in your Bible study. What were they? Did you follow through on them? Do you need someone to keep you accountable?

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CHAPTER 6: CONNECTING WITH OTHER BELIEVERS

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QUESTIONS TO GO THROUGH TOGETHER:

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1.	Why is connecting with other believers important? Why does church matter?
2.	Ask your mentor how they have found unity and community with other Christ-followers. How have they grown through being connected with other believers?
3.	On Day 3, you were challenged to attend church or deepen your connection with the church body. Share with your mentor how that experience went. How can you continue to connect with other believers?
4.	On Days 2 and 5, you made some very specific life applications in your Bible study. What were they? Did you follow through on them? Do you need someone to keep you accountable?

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MENTOR/PARENT PAGE CHAPTER 7: SERVING GOD & OTHERS

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QUESTIONS TO GO THROUGH TOGETHER:

1.	What are your initial thoughts about service? Is it something you do? Is it easy or hard for you? Why? How have your thoughts about serving changed throughout this week?
2.	How is Jesus our ultimate example of a servant? How are you following his example?
3.	On Day 3, you practiced serving Christ and others. What service opportunities did you find? How did praying at the beginning of your day change the way you served?
4.	On Days 2 and 5, you made some very specific life applications in your Bible study. What were they? Did you follow through on them? Do you need someone to keep you accountable?

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CHAPTER 8: SHARING ABOUT GOD

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QUESTIONS TO GO THROUGH TOGETHER:

1.	Do you share about God? Why is sharing about God an essential habit of believers?
2.	Ask your mentor about their experiences sharing about God with others. What have they shared? Has it been easy or hard? How have they seen God help them as they share?
3.	On Day 3, you spent some time writing out your testimony. If you shared it with someone else, how did it go? Practice sharing your testimony with your mentor.
4.	On Days 2 and 5, you made some very specific life applications in your Bible study. What were they? Did you follow through on them? Do you need someone to keep you accountable?

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