Core Discipleship Group Weekly Questions:

- 1. <u>Personal Walk</u>: Are you spending time (at least one hour) daily with God in the Scriptures and prayer? The first thing everyone true disciple of Jesus needs to do is to get in the habit of seeking God everyday in prayer, and becoming mighty in the Scriptures. (*A typical answer from a person in a group might be, "I feel like God wants me to be getting up at 5 a.m. for prayer, and then studying the Scriptures at 6 a.m. Right now I am studying and memorizing Psalm 103. This week went pretty well, except for the weekend, because)*
- 2. <u>Areas of Personal Weakness</u>: What are your greatest areas of personal struggle, are you walking in victory, and what safeguards need to be put in place to ensure future success? Virtually everyone has certain habits and sins that have the potential to sabotage their relationship with Jesus. Let your group know what your issue is, what safety measures you have put in place to guard against this, and how your week went. (A typical answer might be, "I struggle with the temptation to look at porn, so I have installed an accountability app on all my internet devices. This week went very well, except I went to a movie with some friends and saw a scene ..." etc.)
- **3.** <u>Striving to Know and Grow</u>: What, beyond personal time in morning, are you doing to increase your personal knowledge of God and growth in His ways (See list of 37 questions)? (*A typical answer from someone in the group might be, "I am really trying to learn more about intercessory prayer, so I am reading an Andrew Murray book on prayer ... ")*
- 4. <u>Outreach</u>: What have you done this week to reach out to those who are struggling (the poor) and those who do not yet know Christ? (A typical answer might be, "There is an elderly widow that lives in our apartment complex. I stopped by to see if she needed anything and...")
- 5. <u>Prayers</u>: What are the main personal concerns (one, or at most two) on your heart that the group can pray for? Requests can be anything from the above list, or others. (A typical prayer request might be, "I feel like the Lord is calling me to break up with my girlfriend/boyfriend and I need strength to obey ...")