

Prayer

Your Life Group, and all of the others meeting this week, are the prayer meetings of our church. How cool is that!
Please spend time praying for each other and our church.

Pray for opportunities to share the hope of Christ with others.

Each other:

Church

- *Easter service is coming!*
- *Volunteers for youth ministry and children's ministry*
- *Pastors, Staff and Leadership*
- *Stampede and Round Up*
- *God to provide the financial resources we need.*
- *Life Groups meeting around the area this week*



Honor

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Getting Started

Who is someone you look up to, or who has been a role model for you? Why?

Walking Through the Text.

Jim Rohn said, "You are the average of the five people you spend the most time with." That could be true. Scripture tells us to pay attention to the people we spend time with for they can either corrupt good character, or sharpen us like iron.

So Rohn's statement could be true. But we could also be the average of the people we honor. Not that we necessarily know those people, but the people we look up to, and honor, reveal our core values and what we want to be like.

Paul has already given us Jesus as an example of someone to be like in Philippians 2:7-11. But now he give us two more examples.

Read Philippians 2:19-30.

Focus on Timothy. Make a list of the "honorable" characteristics of Timothy. What is it about Timothy that we should both look up to and strive to emulate in our life?

Focus on Epaphroditus. Make a list of the "honorable" characteristics of Epaphroditus. What is it about Epaphroditus that we should both look up to and strive to emulate in our life?

Paul says to honor men (and women) like him. How do we as Christians honor others? Why might that be important?

Application

Take inventory of the people you look up to as role models. What is it about them that makes them honorable? List out the characteristics and values that you appreciate and want to emulate. Are they Jesus inspired? After evaluation, Perhaps you might want to delete or add someone to that list?

Write an email or letter to someone you look up to and tell them why?