

WE ARE LIGHT WEEK **FIVE**



SCRIPTURE MARK 3:32-35

His mother and his brothers arrived. Standing outside they sent word to him and called him. A crowd seated around him told him, "Your mother and your brothers* [and your sisters] are outside asking for you." But he said to them in reply, "Who are my mother and [my] brothers?" And looking around at those seated in the circle he said, "Here are my mother and my brothers. [For] whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother."

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. How has your understanding of international missions evolved after learning about the work in Nigeria, Kenya, and Guatemala?
- 2. In what ways can you personally contribute to the global mission efforts, whether through travel, financial support, or prayer?
- 3. How does the concept of "graduation" in the 410 Bridge model influence your perspective on sustainable development and self-sufficiency in underdeveloped communities?
- 4. How do the priorities of God's kingdom, as illustrated in the Gospel passage from Mark, align with your priorities and actions in everyday life?
- 5. Considering the impact made in Kiu, Kenya, how do you see the ripple effect of helping one community on neighboring areas and future generations?

Deeper Dive

Reflecting on the political and societal upheaval, how do you feel about the challenges and risks missionaries and local partners face?

The 410 Bridge fosters local leadership and community-driven problem-solving. How does this method compare to more traditional models of international aid, and what are its potential benefits in achieving long-term success?

From today's message, is there a...

- Scripture to ponder?
- Prayer to pray?
- Action to take?
- Conversation to start?
- Mindset to change?

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