

HOW TO USE THIS RESOURCE

Lessons on the Go are easy-to-use youth ministry lessons that are Bible-based and single-focused. They're designed to help everyone from volunteer leaders to experienced full-time youth workers quickly facilitate great discussions with clear takeaways and real-life application steps.



WHAT TO DO

- One handout / Two options:**
 - SIMPLE:** Give everyone both front and back pages. Just print and go!
 - CUSTOM:** Give students the back page. Keep the front page as a leaders-only resource so you can customize the opening question, teaching, and discussion prompts for your group's needs.
- Apply It:** Challenge students to get specific. Growth happens when we make a plan, then ask others to keep us accountable. You may want to assign a different student to personally follow-up after each lesson.
- End with prayer:** Each lesson ends with a different prayer method to help students continue thinking about how The Takeaway applies to daily life. Spend a few minutes walking through the prompts to make sure your students know what they need to do when they're on their own during the week.

LOVE STORY SERIES OVERVIEW

Four lessons on the intersection of faith and relationships.

Instead of letting culture define what love is, we should be looking to the ultimate example of God's love for us. *Love Story* is a four-lesson series that will help students think about love from a Christ-follower's perspective, establishing a firm, foundational understanding of God's love and his purpose for love in our lives.

LESSON 1

God So Loved...

SCRIPTURE: John 3:11–21

THE TAKEAWAY: God's love for us sets the standard for what true love is.

LESSON 2

You're a Masterpiece

SCRIPTURE: Psalm 139

THE TAKEAWAY: We find our identity and worth is found in our Creator's love for us, not in human love.

LESSON 3

What Makes a Love Story?

SCRIPTURE: Ruth 1:15-18; 2:1-13; and 3:8-13

THE TAKEAWAY: Ruth and Boaz show us that Romantic love that lasts is built on commitment and kindness.

LESSON 4

Reflectors

SCRIPTURE: John 13:31–35

THE TAKEAWAY: The way we treat each other God gave us relationships as a tool to is supposed to show God's love to the world.

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