



## **Group Discussion Document**

#### Ice Breaker:

• Share a time when you had to trust someone completely. What was the outcome, and how did it affect your relationship with that person?

**Short Summary of the Sermon:** The sermon, titled "95% is Still 5% Short," emphasizes the importance of fully trusting God to experience the fullness of His blessings and purpose for our lives. It draws from the story of the rich young ruler in Luke 18:18-30, who was challenged by Jesus to sell all he had and follow Him. The sermon highlights that trust in God is built on recognizing His consistent character and believing that He acts in our best interest. It challenges us to identify and surrender the "one thing" we hold back from God, trusting Him to bless us abundantly in His time.

# **Group Questions:**

- 1. What stood out to you the most from the sermon, and why?
- 2. How do you relate to the story of the rich young ruler? Is there a "one thing" in your life that you struggle to surrender to God?
- 3. Discuss the concept of trust as presented in the sermon. How does your trust in God compare to your trust in people?
- 4. How has God shown His consistency and character in your life, similar to how He prepared David with the lion and the bear?
- 5. What are some practical steps you can take to increase your trust in God?

## **Life Application:**

• Reflect on your life and identify areas where you may not fully trust God. Consider how you can actively work on surrendering these areas to Him. Pray for the strength and faith to trust in His timing and His plans for you.

## Challenge:

• This week, choose one specific area of your life where you feel God is calling you to trust Him more. Take a tangible step towards surrendering that area to Him, whether it's through prayer, seeking counsel, or making a decision that aligns with His will. Share your experience with the group next week.