



# Hope

**GOD HAS  
MORE IN STORE**

**SMALL GROUP**  
MEMBER GUIDE

# SESSION 4

## GETTING STARTED

How has Isaiah 30:18 impacted your life this week?



## FOCUS VERSE

<sup>11</sup> My days are past, my purposes are broken off, even the thoughts of my heart. <sup>12</sup> They change the night into day: the light is short because of darkness. <sup>13</sup> If I wait, the grave is mine house: I have made my bed in the darkness. <sup>14</sup> I have said to corruption, Thou art my father: to the worm, Thou art my mother, and my sister. <sup>15</sup> And where is now my hope? As for my hope, who shall see it? <sup>16</sup> They shall go down to the bars of the pit, when our rest together is in the dust.

JOB 17:11-16 | KJV

For our **hope** to not be stolen, we need to be selective of the following:

- 1 | Negative talk
- 2 | Small thinking people
- 3 | People who are always talking about the past
- 4 | What we are watching and listening to

God is about to do something good in you!  
**Put your hope on God not your circumstances.**

<sup>7</sup> Blessed is the man that trusteth in the LORD, and whose hope the LORD is.

JEREMIAH 17:7 | KJV

**When you know God's promises,  
you will place your hope in God!**

# DISCOVERY QUESTIONS

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- 1** Job had lost hope. Read Job 17: 11-16 and evaluate how Job got to that point.

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- 2** Our message is “God is for You”. How does that phrase bring you hope?

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- 3** Hope can be stolen by negative talk, small thinking, people who are always talking about the past, and what we watch and listen to. What area(s) do you need to be more selective in in your life?

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## DIVING DEEPER

- 1** Write down 3 promises of God and meditate on them this week.
- 2** Talk to someone about what you learned during today’s session.
- 3** Invite a friend to your next Small Group meeting.
- 4** Invite people from your Small Group to sit together during a Sunday service.