

SMALL GROUP Q'S

The Pain of the Incarnation

December 17, 2017

John 1:9-11

- 1.) What are some ways in your life that you intentionally avoid pain and suffering?

- 2.) Can you imagine being a first responder on 9/11 and feeling a need to rush into the pain at potentially great cost to yourself? What do you think your emotions would have been?

- 3.) Will said, "The footprints of the Incarnation travel a long way toward pain and suffering." What part of that seems most daunting to you or makes you marvel at your Savior the most?

- 4.) Whose suffering are you familiar with? Whose suffering do you see from a distance that God might be calling you to become more familiar with?

- 5.) Will said, "When Jesus leaves the comforts of heaven and enters this world to live and die for us, his great goal is not our temporal comfort but rather that we might move into uncomfortable places with uncomfortable people to share his comfort." How does that square with your goals for your life?

- 6.) How does knowing the One who can rescue from any pain encourage you as you consider moving toward people in painful situations that you can't fix?



For more information about Southwood or Small Groups visit: southwood.org