

HINDSIGHT

WHAT IF I KNEW THEN WHAT I KNOW NOW?

Despite great wisdom and vision, often the clearest sight is when we look back on our lives and learn from experience. Hindsight can teach us what we need to know about the future. We do not look back in a spirit of regret or condemnation, but with a spirit of wisdom and hope.

THE MOMENT BEFORE THE MOMENT

We can't predict The Moment, but we can prepare in the moment before The Moment.

While no one can predict the future, all of us can learn from the past. While none of us can control when the big moments of our lives are going to happen, all of us can choose what we are doing in the moments before The Moment.

GOD IN REAL LIFE

This week, make the decision to act on what you have learned over the past year, and choose to live in God's Presence in the moments before The Moment.

TO THE HEART

"Speak, O Lord, your servant is listening." 1 Samuel 3:10

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What is one thing you learned over the past year that you do not want to forget?
2. Do you, or does anyone you know, have the gift of vision? Of being able to look at present realities and see what needs to happen or where they need to go? Describe them.
3. What were some of the fears, hopes, plans that you had at this point last year? In what specific ways have they changed? Are there no fears? New fears? No hopes? New hopes? Please share.
4. The moment that John the Apostle met Jesus was likely the single most important moment of his life. And yet, he had chosen to put himself in a position to encounter Christ. In what ways have you chosen to position yourself to encounter God like John or to hear His voice like Samuel?
5. Do you have a moment when you have encountered the Person of Jesus in such a way that it gave "your life a new horizon and set it in a decisive direction"? Please share.