

## Community Group Discussion Questions

Moraga Valley Presbyterian Church | Sunday, February 26, 2023

On the Move Sermon Series: Luke 14:31-35

“My Future is in His Hands”

1. Think about the most expensive gift you’ve ever received; now think about the most thoughtful gift you’ve ever received. How are the two different? How are they similar? Share with your group about what made each so special.
  
2. Lent is church season where we engage in practices that help us abstain from human distractions so that we can focus more on Jesus as we prepare our hearts and minds for this coming Easter. It is customary to give something up for Lent, like chocolate and TV, and we use those moments when the craving or desire strikes, as a moment to lean on the Lord. What is something in your life that you could “give up” temporarily so you can get closer to Jesus?
  - a. Why did you choose that?
  
3. Read Luke 14:33. Brandon talked about the “everything” in verse 33 in the sense that we’re placing our hopes, dreams, and futures in God’s hand. Losing control can be scary. Talk with your group about what’s at stake when we leave everything in the Lord’s hands.
  - a. Talk with your group about what is to gain when we leave everything in His care, up to His discretion.
  
4. In the sermon it was talked about how Jesus offers us a new kind of life. Share with your group about how your life has changed as a result of following Jesus.
  - a. Who are you going to share this story with this week? (Non-believing friend, neighbor, co-worker, parent, etc...)