

Introduction:

What was the last decision you made? Maybe it was what to eat, where to sit, or who to talk to. So many of our decisions seem small and inconsequential, but sometimes small decisions make all the difference. What was the last decision that changed your life? Where did that decision start: with a cup of coffee, a long walk, or maybe a single word? In this series, we will be talking about 7 words that can change your life. Today, that word is 'yes.'

Scripture:

2 Corinthians 1:20 - "For all of God's promises have been fulfilled in Christ with a resounding 'Yes!' And through Christ, our 'Amen' (which means 'Yes') ascends to God for his glory."

For More, Read & Discuss 2 Corinthians 1:12-24

Discussion Questions:

1. What is the last opportunity that you said "yes" to? How did that go?
2. What is one time you wish you had said "yes"? What would be different now if you had said "yes"?
3. God desires to use us, and our "yes," to impact the world around us. He sets an example for us by being a God of affirmative promises. Is there a particular promise of God that hits home with you or a particular time when you recall God saying "yes" to you?
4. God has a "yes" in his heart for us. Who in your circle do you think has a "yes" for you?
 - How does it impact or change you, knowing that someone is in your corner looking to say "yes?"
5. If we are going to make the most of life with Jesus, we should say "yes" to encouragement, putting others first, serving, and joy. Which of these "yeses" comes most easily to you? Which is most difficult?
 - As you strive to follow Jesus, what "yes" would you add to that list?

Take the Next Step:

Who could you impact with a "yes" this week?