



Week Nine:

Diamonds in the Rough

Ephesians 5:1-14

Small Group Study

Welcome to Paul's Letter to the Ephesian Church! Paul continues to help the Ephesian church learn about who they are and what they are about as God's people...

Icebreaker:

1. Who was one of your childhood heroes?

Study:

Read Ephesians 5:1-2

2. What does it mean to you to imitate God?
3. What are the attributes of Christ's love that Paul showcases here?

Read Ephesians 5:3-7

4. Paul speaks a great deal about words here, why are words so important?
5. What should we guard against according to these verses?

Read Ephesians 5:8-14

6. What is the metaphor Paul uses here?
7. Contrast the deeds done in the light as opposed to that which is done in the dark.

Application:

8. In what practical ways can we imitate God in the way we:
 - Speak?
 - Live?
 - Attitudes toward others?