



“Who Do You Call?”

For the week of October 1 - 7, 2017

Main Thought:

This week, we conclude our series by looking at #3 on the Billboard’s Hot 100, Logic’s song “1-800-273-8255.” In it, Logic shows that suicide is never the answer to anyone’s problems. He wants people to know that there is always help available. Life as we know is filled with good times and bad times. For some, those moments may be so bad, they take their own life because of it. The Bible addresses this issue with how to handle life when we hit our lowest and even has its own examples of people who came to that low point (1 Kings 19). God hasn’t left us to be alone in these dark moments, but has given us a way to break through. That way for us is Jesus Christ. By God’s grace and through our relationship with him, we are able to handle the darkest moments life throws at us by calling on Him and trusting in Him.

Main Passages:

Read 1 Kings 19

“These words I speak to you are not incidental additions to your life, homeowner improvements to your standard of living. They are foundational words, words to build a life on. If you work these words into your life, you are like a smart carpenter who built his house on solid rock. ²⁵Rain poured down, the river flooded, a tornado hit—but nothing moved that house. It was fixed to the rock. ²⁶“But if you just use my words in Bible studies and don’t work them into your life, you are like a stupid carpenter who built his house on the sandy beach. ²⁷When a storm rolled in and the waves came up, it collapsed like a house of cards.”” (Matthew 7:24-27 MSG)

“Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.” (Psalm 23:4 ESV)

“The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.” (John 10:10)

Discussion Questions

Higher: Getting closer to God

- How do you feel knowing that Jesus is with you in your loneliest and darkest moments? Why?
- What do you think stops you from knowing He’s there? Why?

Deeper: Applying God’s Word in Community

- Jesus was the one speaking in Matthew 7:24-27. What does Matthew 7:24-27 (MSG) say? How can you apply that to your life and those you’re helping to know Christ more?

Wider: Impacting Your World

- Who is someone that you can share Jesus Christ with, especially if He’s the way to having a changed life?
- What should you do if you or someone you know is struggling with suicidal thoughts? If you are struggling with these thoughts, let the adult in your G2 know and we’ll help you get the help you need.

