



Top 10 Group Studies- Session #2 (Feb-Apr 2021)

As you begin planning for your next group study, here are some recommended studies. Some of these are new, and others have been around for a while- but the Groups Team is confident that these studies will be challenging and encouraging for your group in this season.

- [I Said This, You Heard That](#) - Kathleen Edelman. The words you say and the words you hear have the power to shape your entire life. And the more sobering thing- the reason for this study- is that your words have the power to shape other people's lives too.
- [Financial Peace University](#) - Dave Ramsey. When you view and use your finances the way that God intended...everything changes! So if you're sick and tired of being sick and tired, then discover the money plan for real life that actually works.
- [All the Places to Go](#) - John Ortberg. In this study, also accessible through [Right Now Media](#) (accounts available through EBC), you will come to understand how God uses "open doors" to guide your life. As He invites you to walk through these doors often times into the unknown, your response will ultimately determine the life you will lead and the person you will become.
- [Done with That](#) - Bob Merritt. The latest book by our now retired Senior Pastor will help you understand what it really means when the Bible says that *the old life is gone and the new life has come* (2 Cor 5:17). More than that, it will help you identify and overcome the struggles that keep us from experiencing all that God wants for our lives.
- [The Circle Maker](#) - Mark Batterson. Do you ever sense that there is more to prayer than what you're experiencing? In this study, you will begin to uncover your heart's deepest desires as prayer helps you pursue God-sized dreams, connect with God in fresh ways, and discern God's will for your life, and watch God in and through you in amazing ways.
- [The Prodigal God](#) - Tim Keller. An intellectual approach to understanding Christianity that uses the parable of the prodigal son (Luke 15) to reveal an unexpected message of hope and salvation. This study, also available through [Right Now Media](#) (accounts available through EBC), will challenge both the devout and the skeptics to see Christianity in a whole new way.
- [You Are Never Alone](#) - Max Lucado. You are stronger than you think because God is nearer than you know. By looking at the miracles that Jesus did in the Gospel of John, you will be comforted by the reality of the loving, miracle-working God who doesn't think twice about stepping into the messes of this world and pulling you out.
- [20/20](#) - Christine Caine. This study for women will help you live on mission for Jesus. When you know how God sees you and why He's chosen you to help make Jesus' name known on this planet, you will be able to see how He has, and will continue to transform your life right where you are.
- [It's Not Supposed to Be This Way](#) - Lysa TerKeurst. What do you do when God's timing seems questionable, His lack of intervention hurtful, and His promises doubtful. In this study for women, you will see how it is possible to view disappointments as the divine appointments that your soul needs to radically encounter God.
- [Nine Attributes of A Man](#) - Vince Miller. In a world where everyone is attempting to define manhood, why not look to God's definition of real manhood found in the person and work of Jesus Christ. In this study for men, also available on [Right Now Media](#) (accounts available through EBC), you will learn about nine attributes that will empower you to become the man God wants you to be.