

Champions Arise Study Guide
Series: Every Man a Warrior, Program: #20 (EMAW 20)
The Real Measure of a Man

Focus passage – 1 Peter 4:19 - *“So then, those who suffer according to God’s will should commit themselves to their faithful Creator and continue to do good.”*

1) What is the biggest challenge you have faced in the last two years?

2) What do we do when we feel like quitting?

3) What are examples of negative ways men respond to tough times?

4) Where do we get the power to overcome our struggles?

“I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.” Philippians 4:13

5) How do we invite Jesus Christ to be our Savior?

“if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved. For “everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.” [Romans 10:9-10,13]

Commitment: I commit to sharing my burdens with other men and seeking God during my tough times.

The Real Measure of a Man – LEADER'S GUIDE

1. Thank everyone for coming.
2. Open in prayer
3. Read the focus passage.
4. Ask men to answer Question #1.
5. Listen to the program: "The Real Measure of a Man"
6. After the program is finished, allow time for comments or questions on the program
7. Review the answers to the four remaining questions with the men in the group.
Encourage everyone to participate, but never force or shame someone into participating.
 - a. Question #2 answer: Go to God and do what is right.
 - b. Question #3 answer: examples include, quitting, becoming bitter or angry, abusing alcohol, or taking drugs, looking at pornography, or having affair.
 - c. Question #4 answer: Through our personal relationship with Jesus Christ.
 - d. Question #5 answer: Confess we are a sinner, that Jesus Christ died for our sins, and He rose from the grave. Then ask Jesus (and no others) to be the Lord of our life. Then thank Him for the gift of salvation (Romans 10:10)
8. Ask the men if anyone would like to ask Jesus Christ to be their Savior and Lord.
9. Ask the men to commit to help each other work through tough times in their lives by pursuing God.
10. Confirm the time for the next meeting
11. Take prayer requests.
12. Close in prayer

Sample prayer: Almighty God, please help me to remember to cast all my cares on You because You care for me. In Jesus name. Amen.