STUDY GUIDE: THE BATTLE: "Doubt"

Discussion Starters

- 1. What do you tend to doubt?
- 2. What do you NOT doubt?

Study:

3. Using an exhaustive concordance and/or topical Bible, discover everything you can about doubt in the Bible. Note the passages you found and what they taught you below.

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4. To complete the next section of the study guide, you will need to use a Bible Dictionary. Remember, the words listed below are from the NASU, but the word you are trying to define is the Hebrew or Greek word translated by the NASU—NOT the English word. If you have any questions about how to use these tools, contact your group leader or one of the pastoral staff.

Define the following words or terms.

--"word" (Romans 10:17)— --"conformed" (Romans 12:2)— --"transformed" (Romans 12:2)— --"without reproach" (James 1:5)— --"doubting" (James 1:6)— --"double minded man" (James 1:8)—

5. Choose one of the words you looked up above, and write how understanding the meaning and background of that word better helped you understand this passage.

6. How is doubt a spiritual battle? Explain.

Taking It Home

7. What do you doubt the most (be totally honest here) re: faith?

8. From this study and the last one ("The Fight") what steps can you take now to avoid doubt (or limit it) in the future?