



**SCATTERED  
SERVANTS**

# REPOSITIONING



*The **dream** of **God** over your **life**  
is not that you **become** a believer  
and **help out** the local church.*

*The **dream** of **God** over your **life**  
is that you **come alive** in his **presence**  
and **bring life** to every **environment**,  
spilling **contagious hope**  
into **hurting** humanity.*

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MESSAGE 3:  
EVERYWHERE EVERYDAY

# THE STORY OF NICODEMUS



Now there was a prominent religious leader among the Jews named **Nicodemus**, who was part of the sect called the **Pharisees**.

One night he **discreetly** came to **Jesus** and said,  
“**Rabbi**, we know that you are a **teacher** from **God**,  
for no one **performs** the miracle **signs** (wonders) that you do,  
unless **God's power** is with him.”

Jesus answered,

“**Nicodemus**, **listen** to this **eternal truth**:  
Before a person can even **perceive** (see) God's **kingdom**,  
they must **experience** a **rebirth** (born again).”

**Nicodemus** said, “**Rebirth? How** can a gray-headed man **be reborn?**  
It's **impossible** for anyone to go **back** into the **womb**  
a second time and **be reborn!**”



*Jesus answered, "I speak an **eternal truth**:  
Unless you are **born of water** (God's word) and the **Spirit**,  
you will never **enter** God's kingdom.  
For the **natural realm** only gives birth to things that are **natural**,  
but the **spiritual realm** gives birth to **supernatural life**!  
You shouldn't be **amazed** (surprised) by my statement,  
'You all must be **born from above** (again)!'  
For the **Spirit-Wind** blows as it **chooses**. You can **hear** its sound,  
But you don't **know** where it came **from** or where it's **going**.  
(**Holy Spirit** is moved by **mysterious moods** and **wonderful ways**)  
So it is the **same** with those who are **Spirit-born** (born again)!"*

John 3:1-8 TPT



**EVERYONE**  
**EVERYWHERE**  
**EVERYDAY**





*It's time to **ordain** the **ordinary**.  
We do so **knowing** that the next **great move** of God  
is not going to be a movement **in** the **church**.  
It's going to be a movement **of** the **church** into society,  
**rewriting** the story of **education** in our cities,  
**health** in our cities, and **business** in our cities.  
God is **repositioning** the church to **reach** the whole city,  
with believers **communicating**, **demonstrating**,  
and **celebrating** the supremacy of Christ  
in every **corner** of **culture**.*

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**“GATHERED”**  
**ATTRACTIONAL MODEL**  
**VS.**

**“SCATTERED”**  
**MISSIONAL MODEL**



*The church is both **gathered** and **scattered**.  
We weren't **called** to simply create structures  
for **church growth** – **adding** more and more **people**.  
We were called to **multiply, create, and sustain**  
a **missional culture** – bringing more and more **life** to our **city**.  
God had spoken to us to **GO** after the lost, ...  
yet we were still primarily **inviting** the lost to **come** to us.  
We wanted a **generous culture** with **mission** at the **heart** of it:  
a culture where our lives naturally **leaned** towards the **lost**; ...  
We wanted **everyone, everywhere, everyday**, expressing  
their life in a way that **led** others to **life**.*

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# CATALYST “REPOSITIONING” STEPS

- Step One: **Pray**, Fast and Listen
- Step Two: **Go Out** Among the Lost
- Step Three: **Engage** and Gain Access
- Step Four: **Search** for Receptivity (**POP**)
- Step Five: **Start** Discovery Groups



# **DISCOVERY BIBLE STUDY (DBS)**



# DBS QUESTIONS TO DISCUSS:

1. What are you **thankful** for in the past week?
2. What is **challenging** or **stressing** you now?
3. What can the **group do** or how can we **help**?  
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4. What does this **passage** teach you **about God**?
5. What does this **passage** teach you **about people**?
6. What should **you do** this week in **response** to this **passage** (What is your “**I will**” statement)?
7. Who should **you share** this with this week?



Now I am **coming** to you (Father), and I **speak** (pray) these things (while I am still) in the **world** so that they **may have** (experience) **my joy** (delight) completed in them. I have **given** them your **word** (the **message** you gave me). The **world** hated them because they are **not of** the world, **just as** I am **not of** the world. I am **not** praying (**asking**) that you to take them **out** of the **world** but that you **protect** (guard) them from the **evil one** (Satan). They are **not of** the world, **just as** I am **not of** the world.

**Sanctify** them (set them apart ) by the **truth**;  
(teach them) your **word** (which) is truth.

As you (Father) **sent me** into the world (on mission),  
I (Jesus) also have **sent them** into the world (on mission).



John 17:13-18 CSB