

Greetings,

Welcome to this week's online Connection Group meeting! We are so glad that you have decided to be part of today's meeting. Even though we have temporarily changed how we meet, our mandate to spur one another still stands as instructed by **Hebrews 10:24-25 NLT** which says, ***“Let us think of ways to motivate one another to acts of love and good works. And let us not neglect our meeting together as some people do, but let us encourage one another, especially now that the day of His return is drawing near”***. When you meet and connect with other people, you find grace and truth to enable you to grow spiritually, you learn to look beyond yourself and serve others and become more like Jesus Christ in behavior and attitude. Iron sharpens iron, so stay connected.

Last week, we went through a sermon on how we should express our faith at work or place of business. This week, in the third part of our current series, **'A Life of Faith'**, we look at how we ought to express our **Faith at Home**. In the preamble of his sermon, Pastor Walker pointed out an important fact about work and family: they were both part of God's divine plan for mankind. They were there before man disobeyed God and sinned. So when sin entered the world, work became harder and family became messy. However, God's plan was not thwarted, He restored us through His one and only Son Jesus. So this week, we look at how God originally wanted you to express your faith in a family setting. Enjoy!

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God bless you!

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## THIS WEEK'S STUDY: A LIFE OF FAITH: FAITH AT HOME

### A Getting to Know Each Other

Share something new you have learned about someone in your group and explain how that has helped you relate better with them.

### B Digging Deeper and Application

**Key Text NKJV: Romans 12:1-2, Ephesians 5:22-33, 6:1-4, and Habakkuk 2:4**

1. Living by faith is knowing what God says, trusting it, believing it (being fully persuaded and convinced), and acting it out. What do you know about what God has said about family and to what extent have you lived out that truth?
2. As we come into this world, society and culture dictate to us what family is all about. Read **Romans 12:1-2 MSG** and discuss in detail how you can detach yourself from the cultural norms that go against God's word and tell us how you will adapt to the God-kind of family living.
3. Read **Ephesians 5:22-29, 6:1-4**, and project yourself in the roles and responsibilities mentioned in these scriptures by explaining how you will live out the ones that relate to you as a spouse, parent, or child.

### C Take Home

Be an expert at **your** roles and responsibilities in your family. Find out what the bible says about what you need to do and do it. You spend a considerable amount of time with family therefore doing it God's way will help transform you and the people around you.