

SMALL GROUP LEADER RESOURCES

Icebreakers

Ideas to Foster Connection

- What section of the newspaper do you read first and why?
- What was your first job?
- If your house was on fire, what three items (not people or pets) would you try to save?
- Tell the group a quick story from your wedding day.
- What vacation or big trip (either as a child or as an adult) did you enjoy the most?
- When you are lost, which of the following are you most likely to do?
 - a. stop and ask for directions
 - b. check a map
 - c. drive around until you find the place you're looking for
 - d. not admit to anyone that you're lost

- When you undress at night, do you tend to put your clothes on a hanger, fold them over a chair, stuff them into a hamper, or leave them on the floor? Be honest!
- *Play 2 truths & a lie* (each group member will share 3 things with the group about themselves but one of those things is a lie; the group then tries to guess what is true and what is not about the person).
- *Life story in 4 pictures*: give each person a blank sheet of paper and instruct them to fold the paper twice to create 4 squares. Divide your life into 4 "segments" of time and draw a picture in each square that describes or portrays what was significant about that time in your life.