

GROW GROUP QUESTIONS

Announcement: Have you planned a Grow Group Christmas party yet? DO IT!

Icebreaker: If you could travel back in time to witness any historical event or meet a famous figure (like Abraham Lincoln or Isaiah), who or what would you choose, and why?

Sermon Discussion: *Read Isaiah 9:6*

- Isaiah uses the name "Mighty God" for the coming king.
 - Why is it significant that this title is only used for YHWH in the Bible?
 - What does it mean for someone in crisis or who feels powerless?
- In Isaiah 8:6-9, Judah is criticized for relying on Assyria instead of God.
 - Why do you think King Ahaz turned to Assyria for help?
 - What are some reasons why we might rely on our own solutions rather than trusting God for his?
- Jesus embodies the title "Mighty God."
 - How does this deepen your understanding of who Jesus is and what He came to accomplish?

Going Deeper

- How does believing in Jesus as "Mighty God" impact your faith in His ability to work in your current circumstances?
- Jesus told us not to be afraid and to cast our anxieties on Him. What practical steps can you take this week to trust in God's might and give Him control over your worries?
- In what ways can you be a "walking billboard" of God's might and faithfulness to those around you?
- What are some areas in your life where you might be doubting Jesus' power to act?

Next Steps

- As a group, pray for one another, focusing on areas where individuals feel overwhelmed, are doubting, or are in need of God's mighty intervention.