DISCUSSION GUIDE

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OPFN

Go around and let everyone answer...

What did the people you grew up think about Jesus Christ?

If you know any people who are not Christians, what do they think of Christ?

DIG

Read HEBREWS 3:1-6

¹ And so, dear brothers and sisters who belong to God and are partners with those called to heaven, think carefully about this Jesus whom we declare to be God's messenger and High Priest. ² For he was faithful to God, who appointed him, just as Moses served faithfully when he was entrusted with God's entire house.

³ But Jesus deserves far more glory than Moses, just as a person who builds a house deserves more praise than the house itself. ⁴ For every house has a builder, but the one who built everything is God.

⁵ Moses was certainly faithful in God's house as a servant. His work was an illustration of the truths God would reveal later. ⁶ But Christ, as the Son, is in charge of God's entire house. And we are God's house, if we keep our courage and remain confident in our hope in Christ.

In what ways does this passage say Jesus was similar to Moses?

If you know the story of Moses, and of Jesus, how many other similarities can you identify?

Why does Jesus deserve more honor than Moses according to this passage?

In this passage, Jesus is described as a messenger, a builder, and a son in charge of God's house. What do all of these images teach you about why Jesus Christ is different from other religious prophets, teachers and leaders?

In your own lifetime, what have you noticed average people admiring about the life of Christ?

If Jesus really is so special, why do people react so strongly against him?

APPLY

What do you personally admire most about the life of Christ?

What does Jesus Christ mean to you now?



Leaders

Series

This discussion guide is based on a sermon in a series called "This is My Story." It is an overview of the entire message of Scriptures, showing how that message is relevant to your life.

Big Idea

This lesson identifies who Jesus Christ is and why his life is important to us.

Prayer

Pray for people who don't know Christ to understand how important he is as an example of holy living.

Group Leadership

Group participation is similar to a small family reunion. Ideally, the group gathering is a time to catch up on one another's lives, to ask advice, and just to have fun.

Give space in the meetings for people to enjoy being with one another and to catch up with each other. Then, as a spiritual family, encourage one another to continue following Christ.

