Worship that Carries One Another

Deuteronomy: Choose Life | Week Nineteen | Deuteronomy 18:1-8

THE SERMON IN A BREATH

The Levites received no land because the LORD was their inheritance, and the rest of Israel carried them with their firstfruits. Jesus, our great High Priest, gave up every portion that was his so that God could be ours. Following him will cost us things others seem to get, but God himself is our portion.

01 WHERE THE QUESTIONS ARE HEADING

Share Life (1-3) Warm up and check in on last week's step. Keep it moving.

First impressions (4-5) Let people notice before anyone explains. The no-land detail usually surprises.

No portion but the LORD (6-7) Help the group feel the loss first, then the gift. Question 7 is where it gets personal.

Carried by God's people (8-9) Giving to the church can be a tender topic. Keep it about gratitude, not guilt.

A royal priesthood (10-11) Leave room for real stories of what faith has cost. Do not rush to fix them.

Back to Jesus (12) Land here on grace. Jesus gave up his portion first.

02 TIME BUDGET, ABOUT 85 MINUTES

Share Life **15 min** | Setting the scene and reading **10 min** | First impressions **10 min** | Study the Scripture **30 min** | Back to Jesus and application **10 min** | Pray together **10 min**

03 WATCH FOR

Some in the room may be carrying real losses because of their faith, such as family who will not speak to them or a community that rejected them. Honor that. The point of the passage is not that loss does not hurt, but that it is never the end of the story.