Small Group Discipleship Guide

November 8th: Rom 8:31-39

CONNECT

A few minutes of care, celebration, and prayer.

1. How have you seen God at work this week?
2. What is one celebration and one challenge that we can pray about today? *(pray now)*

REFLECT

Look back on how God worked through last week's commitments.

3. Last week, each of us committed to take one step of obedience. How did it go?
4. Who were you able to encourage, serve, invite, or share with?

DISCUSS

Read the primary Scripture together: Romans 8:31-39

1. Read Romans 8:31-32. What does it mean that God is for us?

2. Do you believe that God is for you? How does believing this truth affect the way you face life's challenges?

3. Read Romans 8:33-34. What does it mean that there is no condemnation for those in Christ? How should this change the way we view our past failures?

4. Whose voice do you let weigh most in your life? The devils? Someone else's, your own, or the word of Jesus' work for you on the cross? What would your life look like if His voice always had the most weight.

5. Read Romans 8:35-39. What do these verses teach us about God's love? How can this truth encourage us during difficult seasons?

6. Do you tend to use circumstances or the cross of Christ to determine God's love for you?

RESPOND

Write these commitments down.

5. **Follow Jesus**: What is one step of obedience God is asking you to take this week?
6. **Grow in Community**: How can this group pray for you, encourage you, or hold you accountable as you take that step.
7. **Go on Mission**: Who is one person God is placing on your heart to encourage, serve, invite, or share Jesus with this week?
