

The BIG Letdown
The Letdown of POWER
Week 1

TALK IT OVER

Key Scriptures:

“15 I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you”.
John 13:15

“When power is used to serve other people, you won’t experience letdown”.
~@PaulWingfield~

Thoughts you have from listening to the message:

Start celebrating. Revisit action item(s) from last week.

- Wrap up any discussion from last week.

Icebreaker

- Talk about a time when you had a big expectation only to experience a letdown?

Start sharing. Choose questions that create openness.

- Why do you think so many people chase after power in their life?
- What are some of the ways you have noticed people abuse their power for wicked or evil ways?
- **Read 1 Isaiah 14:13-14**
- Why do you think so many people follow the path of Satan and try to elevate ourselves?
- **Read Daniel 4:29-37**
- In what ways is the story of the king an example to us for the dangers of abusing the power that God has given each of us?
- **Read John 13:1-17**
- How do we model the example of Jesus in our lives and how does this show us the proper way to use power?
- How does it change our mindset to remember that all power belongs to God?
- How can you practically do this starting this week?

Start praying. Be bold and pray specifically.

Father help us to demonstrate love for other people the way Jesus did. Teach us to not seek power in our lives but to use what we have been given for your glory.