



## LEADER CONVERSATION GUIDE – THE IMPOSSIBLE

### MAIN IDEA

“The Impossible” tells an incredible, true story about one of the many families affected by the Indian Ocean Tsunami in 2004. Though the Belón family was violently separated by the tsunami, they fought to find each other again against all odds, and they did everything they could to help others along the way. Pastor Chris used clips from this movie to paint a picture of the depth of Jesus’ desire to seek and save those who are lost. We have all been struck by storms this year, but even now, in the midst of what could be our own darkest hours, God wants to use us to reach others who are in despair and far from Him with the hope and light of Jesus.

### MAKE IT PRACTICAL

- We need to search for those who are lost.
- We need to pray for those who have strayed.
- We need to love and protect those who are injured.
- We need to reach out to those who need our help.

**“LET US NOT BECOME WEARY IN DOING GOOD, FOR AT THE PROPER TIME WE WILL REAP A HARVEST IF WE DO NOT GIVE UP.”**

*GALATIANS 6:9*

### TALK ABOUT IT

1. Considering everything we’ve been through this year, both individually and as a country, describe how you think you’ve generally responded. Why is it hard to think about others when we face difficult things personally?
2. Have you ever served someone else in the middle of your own painful circumstances? What was that experience like, and how did it impact you?
3. What can you do to intentionally seek those who are lost and share the love of Jesus with those who are hurting during this season? Discuss as a group.

**“WE NEVER STOP SEARCHING FOR OTHERS BECAUSE OUR FATHER NEVER STOPPED SEARCHING FOR US.”**



## PRAYER

Jesus, thank You for coming to save us when we were lost in sin. Help us to love like You love and seek the lost with Your passion and conviction. Give us boldness to share the Good News with everyone we know, and help us be the light You've called us to be to the world.

## LEADERSHIP TIPS

- Follow up with those you challenged to pray about leading a Small Group next semester. Remind them that God's best is found outside their comfort zone. If you haven't already, share how taking the step to lead a Small Group has changed your life.
- Make a note to text those group members next time Small Group Leader Training is happening. You could even plan to go with them!
- Ask your entire group what they feel like their personal next step is. Look back at what they hoped to get out of the semester, and ask them if they feel like they've met their goals. Help them identify where God is leading them in their current season of life.

