



# CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP REFLECTIONS

DISCUSSION GUIDE

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## 3.4% Is All It Took

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### Discussion Questions

1. Do you and your staff sometimes feel like the odds are against your ministry? Revisit the statistics on the growth that the early church had against incredible odds. Discuss what your ministry can do from a human perspective to give God something to work with. Take courage—God is with you as you live out your calling!
2. Review your ministry's outreach activities to determine which ones are actually creating significant mission-related results over time. Do you have any? Are those activities receiving focus and funding? If not, it's time to re-prioritize.
3. Are your outreach programs transactional or relational in nature? (Handing out tracts to passers-by is transactional, inviting people to a small group is relational.) While both can get results, providing opportunities for relationships to form is always more effective. What are the characteristics of relational outreach activities and how can you apply those characteristics to make your outreach activities more relational?
4. Social networks are a great medium for engaging in mission. Live out your faith by being Christlike in your daily life on social media. If you are a pastor, encourage your congregation to do so as well.