

CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP REFLECTIONS

DISCUSSION GUIDE

Living in Exile

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Discussion Questions

- 1. Has your ministry made the transition to a 'living in exile' existence? What did the transition involve in terms of change, or what do you think it might involve if you haven't done it yet?
- 2. Have you encountered pressure to compromise on the faith aspect of your ministry? How did you respond? Would you do anything differently if you could do it all over again? How can you protect your ministry from having to compromise at all?
- 3. Discuss formal versus informal power. How are they defined and what are the pros and cons of each? What could you do to increase the amount of informal power you have?
- 4. How would your leadership team answer these questions:
 - a. How do we build a sense of urgency to become a more effective servant to our community?
 - b. What should we stop doing so that we can start doing something new and more creative?
 - c. What hinders us?

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