

## Small Group Questions

Go Coastal: Don't Waste A Good Party

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\*You do NOT have to answer or discuss every question. Feel free to just pick a few. These are meant to guide you in truth. If you are having trouble answering a question, ask your small group leader to help you. They are committed to helping you develop as an authentic follower of Christ.

### The COMMUNITY:

1. Other than the Bible, what is the most impactful/influential book you've ever read?

### Into the WORD/APPLICATION:

Here are some suggested sites in order to dive deeper into God's Word: [blueletterbible.org](http://blueletterbible.org), [desiringgod.org/articles/all](http://desiringgod.org/articles/all), [biblos.com](http://biblos.com), [ccel.org](http://ccel.org), [logos.com](http://logos.com), [connect.ligonier.org](http://connect.ligonier.org), [thegospelcoalition.org/channel/bible-and-theology](http://thegospelcoalition.org/channel/bible-and-theology).

1. Read Luke 5:27-32 and answer the following questions.
  - a. In what ways have you identified with Levi in this story?
  - b. In what ways have you identified with the Pharisees/Scribes in this story?

- c. Why is eating/drinking with sinners bad from the legalist perspective?
- d. What caused Levi to leave "everything behind" and follow Christ? What are some of the things Levi did that demonstrated genuine faith in Christ?
- e. In what ways have you left "everything behind"?
- f. Why does Jesus change Levi's name to Matthew? What is the significance?
- g. How can we use Luke 5:27-32 in our approach to evangelism?