



# befriend

## WEEK 6

### **INTRODUCTION:**

In order to befriend someone, we must live out the love of Christ in all relationships.

### **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:**

Icebreaker: What is one of the most loving things a friend has ever done for you? What made that action so loving?

**READ:** 1 Corinthians 13:4-7, John 13:34-35, Acts 4:32-37 & Acts 3:1-10

1. In the 1 Corinthians passage, which one of those attributes is the easiest and most challenging for you to live out?
2. In Cheryl's story, describe a time when your friends were there for you. What happened? How did they handle the situation? How did you react?
3. Do you agree with Scott's assessment that we all need "underdog" friends? Why or why not?
4. As in Ron's story, describe a time that you met someone's practical needs or served as Ron did? What did God teach you through that?
5. In the John 13 Chapter, why do you think Jesus told his disciples to love each other rather than something else? What's significant about love each other?

### **MOVING FORWARD:**

During this week, reflect on the passages in today's study. Also, write down three things you've learned or been convicted by through this series. Pray throughout the week for God to show you how to put each of those things into practice.

### **UNLEASH THE GOSPEL:**

As we close the series, I'll ask you to pray for Safeharbor as often as you pray. Ask God to strengthen its leaders and bring unity between members. Pray Safeharbor would be a light to those who don't know him yet. Also, ask God to bring one person into your life you could befriend. Practice the principles discussed in this study as you get to know that person.