

Week #4: Your Invitation Matters

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Invite, eat, and ______.

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• What is one way in the next week or month you can _____ and ____?

Discussion Questions

- 1. When did someone invite you to something that impacted you in a positive way?
- 2. What is at risk if Jesus-followers don't live lives inviting and including the people around them?
- 3. What is one way in the next week or month that you can invite someone to share in a meal or a common experience?

Recommended Resources

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