DISTINCTION ANOINTED FAVORED CHOSEN

LIFEGROUPS

SETLIST (worship optional)

Here For You by Travis Greene Our God Reigns Forever by Israel Houghton Surrounded (Fight my Battles) by UpperRoom Glorious by BJ Putnam

LET'S GET STARTED

We have many people in our inner circle but what do you look for in a friend?

OPEN IN PRAYER AND PLAY VIDEO

<u>SCRIPTURE</u> (do not read until prompted in the discussion questions) Deuteronomy 28:1

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

 Favor is not achieved; it is received. Favor comes from God and flows through people. Favor has the ability to eliminate debt in a moment. Favor has the ability to create wealth in a moment. Favor has the ability to further your life in a day then you would achieve in your whole life. Favor is one of the most powerful forces that God uses to move and bless his people. You are part of God's people therefore you are favored! What have you learned about yourself knowing that you are favored? Have there been people that have ever shown you unmerited favor?

- Favor comes to those that are diligent. It is hard to be lazy and walk in the favor of God. David was diligently being a shepherd when God came to anoint him. Ruth was diligently tending the field when God used Boaz to provide her with more food. Joseph was diligently in prayer when God took him out of prison and set him on the side of the king. When you are working then God will bring your assignment. Favor is part of the process to make sure the assignment is completed. *What are you being diligent in to make sure you remain favored? What do you think your assignment is?*
- Favor is when the uncommon and unlikely to like you and have mercy on you. **Read Deuteronomy 28:1.** God used Moses, a Hebrew man to release his people from Egypt. God wants to take you out of the familiar and put you in your Egypt. Favor doesn't come when you are in your comfort zone. Favor doesn't come in the season of favor. Favor comes when you are going through that rough season and you can only credit God for taking you out. Have you ever been invited into a room you never thought you would be able to walk into? Are you living in your comfort zone right now? What kind of favor are you believing for during your rough season?

OUR CHALLENGE

This week check your schedule, where are you putting the most work in? Are you being diligent with what God is giving to you at the moment or are you waiting till something big happens? Be diligent with the small and God will bless you with something even greater!