

## Discussion Questions for Small Group



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**Instructions:** Listen to the Shabbat audio reading together as a small group. Have your bibles with you and read along. After listening, go through the discussion questions below.

**Date:**

**Scripture Reading:** Re'eh: Deut 16:1-17 Job 23:1-27:23 2 Cor 1:12-2:11 Psalm 41:1-13 Prov 22:5-6  
Shoftim: Deut 16:18-17:10 Job 28: 1-30:31 2 Cor 2: 12-17 Psalm 42:1-11 Prov 22:7

1. Read Deuteronomy 16:1-2 and compare to Leviticus 23:1-2. Why should non-Jews (Christians) consider keeping the Feasts?

2. Read Deut. 16:3 slowly and carefully. Why does the LORD want us to keep the Passover?

3. Read Ezekiel 20:33-35. What does this passage tell us about a FUTURE event that will happen?

4. Read Ezekiel 20:36. This future event is directly compared to a historical event? What event is that? Why do you think this future event is compared to that historical event?

**Note:** God works in patterns. What happened to our fathers will happen to us, their spiritual offspring. When we keep the Passover, we are remembering BACK to what happened but we are also REHEARSING for a FUTURE EVENT.

5. Read Deuteronomy 16:12.

Then Scan this news article:

**[The CBDCs are Coming and the Elite Plan to Use These “Digital Currencies” to Enslave Humanity – The Economic Collapse Blog](https://theeconomiccollapseblog.com/the-cbdcs-are-coming-and-the-elite-plan-to-use-these-digital-currencies-to-enslave-humanity/)**

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How are we like “slaves” today to the “Babylon” global system?

6. Read Deut 16:13-14. Do you have any plans for keeping Sukkot this year? (Falls on Sept 29 to Oct 8, 2023)

7. Read Deut. 16:18-19. What is God’s justice system supposed to be like?

8. Scan the news headline below. What does our justice system look like today?

**[We Are Now Jailing People for Life Because the Government Does Not Believe in Their Speech – The Gateway Pundit](https://www.thegatewaypundit.com/2023/08/we-are-now-jailing-people-life-because-government/)**

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9. The news story below is yet another example of “perverted” justice. After scanning it, please take a few moments in your small group to pray for the more than 900 J6 political prisoners who are “stuck” in the Washington DC prison gulag.

**[J6 Political Prisoner Zachary Rehl Faces 10 to 12 Years in Prison for Walking in US Capitol for a Few Minutes – The Gateway Pundit](https://www.thegatewaypundit.com/2023/08/j6-political-prisoner-zachary-rehl-faces-10-12/)**

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10. Read 2 Corinthians 1:3-6. What does Paul say is the purpose of our suffering?

11. Share a time with your group when you went through a difficult trial, how the LORD brought you victory through it, and then how you were able to minister to someone else who was going through a similar trial.

12. Read 2 Corinthians 1:20-22. How do these verses speak to your heart and encourage you?