

Reformed University Fellowship

Leading Bible Studies Conference

Getting to Know the People in Your Bible Study From general to personal

1. Living and working.
Where are you living?
Who is your roommate? How well do you get along? What do you share in common?
What is your major? Why did you choose...?
What type of summer job did you have? What type of work-study are you performing?
Describe your best friends at Lehigh and at home.
Do you have a girlfriend/boyfriend? What is it about them that most impresses you?
What do you like to do in your free time?
2. Past Bible study experience.
What type of Bible studies have you been involved with in the past?
What did you study?
What did you most like about it? What would you have changed?
How did you become interested in studying the Bible?
3. Major issues in their lives.
What do you expect will be your biggest challenges here at Lehigh? When you go back home?
How often do you connect with family, via the phone, e-mail or travel?
4. Spiritual maturity.
Who do you say Jesus is?
What role does reading the Bible on your own play in your life? Prayer?
Who do most often hang out with? What do you look for in a group of friends?
Where do you go to church? Why there?
5. Personal maturity.
What is the toughest thing you have ever experienced? How did you handle it?
How do you react when things don't go your way?
What do you hope to accomplish here at Lehigh?
6. Barrier to hearing and application of God's word (worldview).
(Many of the above questions will provide insight to this area, but there are several world view questions that can highlight problematic underlying assumptions to hearing God's Word?)
What is the Bible? Is it inspired by God? Why or why not? Is it the only book inspired by God?
How did the world come to exist?
What is the source of human problems?
What is the solution to these problems? How can things be made right?
7. How well do you know each other?
This is a question for you to ask yourself.