



Discussion Guide

PART 1: A Story of Twists

DATE: 11-28-2021

START

We all have an idea what the perfect life looks like for us. Maybe you have an image of a TV couple, some friends you have, or maybe just a mental image of what life is supposed to be like. However, life is far from perfect. There are numerous twists and turns that make it far from less than perfect.

- How do you picture the perfect life for you?
- When did you realize perfection in your life was not going to happen?

READ

[Luke 1:8-9](#) (NIV)

Once when Zechariah's division was on duty and he was serving as priest before God, he was chosen by lot, according to the custom of the priesthood, to go into the temple of the Lord and burn incense.

THINK

Three stories are at the center of Zechariah's life. A story of political unrest, a story of personal suffering and shame, and a story of public service. Despite the political unrest, personal suffering, and shame; Zechariah continues to serve God faithfully. There are a lot of overlaps between Zechariah's time and our time today.

- How has political unrest disrupted your life?
- When has personal suffering or shame interrupted your life?
- How have you continued to serve God despite the twists and turns of life?

When everything around seems impossible, it's easy to throw in the towel and give up. What is the point if it's impossible? It's in the impossible that God reveals everything is possible. There are a lot of things that are impossible for us, but for God, nothing is impossible.

- When have you faced the impossible and wanted to give up?
- Where have you seen God work through your impossible?
- How can you lean into God's faithfulness to overcome the impossible?

PRAY

"God there are a lot of twists and turns in life. I know I have experienced my fair share. Remind me that when I face the impossible you reveal that everything is possible by you."

ACT

This week, when you face the impossible in life, remember that for God, everything is possible. Hand your impossible to God and allow Him to work.

[Discover Hope](#) | [Next Step](#) | [Christmas at TCC](#)



ONE CHURCH. RIGHT WHERE YOU ARE.