

Series: STAND ALONE
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Happy New Year everyone! This week's questions are for you as a Christ-follower, but they also apply to you as a small group. Do not feel rushed as you discuss these topics. Here goes:

1. January is a natural time to recalibrate and refocus. What is Cornwall's mission? What does that mean in everyday language?
2. In what ways is your group working with God to make that happen?
3. Spend some time 'Praying First', asking the Lord to show you where and how he would have your group advance his work this New Year. If no one has an idea right away, plan another time to evaluate and recalibrate what you sense him leading you to do.
4. Explain what it means to be in a transformational relationship with Jesus. See 2 Corinthians 3:18. Looking back over the last year, how has Jesus transformed your life?
5. Read Hebrews 12:1-12 and then describe what it means to "fix" your eyes on Jesus? From John 15:5 why is it essential to keep focused?
6. What shiny objects tend to distract you? How do you notice when you are getting off course?
7. What was Paul's situation when he came to Corinth? How did he remain focused? See Acts 18:5, 1 Corinthians 1:25, 30 and 2:2.
8. What do you sense God calling you to attempt for him in his power?
9. Bob's sabbatical allowed him to do serious reflection. How do you and when do you have time to do deep thinking?