

# NewSpring Church Groups Guide

## Punctuation — Week 5 — What Do I Lack?

Have you ever been disappointed by someone who you thought had it all together? Perhaps you know someone who seemed to have a great marriage but then had an affair or someone who gives the appearance of having a great job with lots of money but then their world crashes when the creditors come knocking at the door. Some people are really good at putting on a show. Christ followers are probably guiltier than any other group of people. We all want people to believe that we have this amazing relationship with Jesus and everything is perfect. Is your Christian life just a show?

- What are some things we do strictly for show in the Christian world today?
- Why is it essential for a follower of Christ to know and submit to scripture?
- When we truly love someone we are willing to speak truth to them. Who are the people in your life that you've invited to speak truth into your life?
- What is keeping you from the things that God has for you?
- Why are we constantly comparing ourselves to other Christians instead of comparing ourselves to Jesus?
- Why do you come to church every week?

If blindfolds were handed out in the parking lot so no one would know you were at church, would you still come? Would you still put an offering into the offering bag? Why do we really do the spiritual things that we do? Do we really love Jesus or do we just want to make people think that we do?