

**Leader/Host Guide for John 6:22-71, *Jesus the Bread from Heaven***  
**Week following Dec. 17 & 18, 2011**

*\*(please read the additional descriptions, instructions and notes on the yellow sample session format pages)*

I. Gather, Nametags, Welcome and Icebreaker

*Icebreaker suggestion: I tend to get lost in a good book. What is your form of spiritual nourishment? TV, radio, movies or music, etc.?*

II. Opening Prayer

*God of Spiritual Nourishment,  
Thank you for offering to us the bread of eternal life through Jesus Christ your Son.  
Reveal to us where our spiritual diet needs to change in order for us to grow healthy in our faith and service to you.  
In Jesus' name we pray.*

*Amen.*

III. Bible, Sermon, Text Messages (Reflection Questions) and Faith in Action Discussion

IV. Memory/Focus Verse Review

V. Wrap up and Looking Ahead

VI. Closing Prayer/Lord's Prayer

*God of Provision,  
We praise and thank you for Jesus the bread of life that came down from heaven. We believe that whoever eats this bread will live forever. Grant that we may find our nourishment in our relationship with you in this life and life eternal.  
In the name of Jesus our mighty Savior and Lord,*

*Amen*

VII. Adjourn