

notes.



## I'M THE ONLY ONE

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1 Kings 18-19

A truth to remember: God cares for you

1 Peter 5:7

An action to take: Build community

- Relate in Real life
- Attend a worship service
- Connect in a Group
- Volunteer on a team

## Growth Group Homework - May 26, 2019

### Warm-Up

1. Are you a “blaze your own trail” or “run with a pack” type of person?
2. Have you ever been in a situation where you were doing exactly what you were supposed to do, but you were the only one doing it (and others didn’t understand)? What happened?

### Talk It Over

3. Looking back at your notes from this week’s message, what did you find most challenging or helpful?
  4. Read Psalm 23. What does this passage reveal about God’s character?
- Think of a time you thought, “I’m the only one.” What in Psalm 23 would have encouraged you?

5. Read through the passages listed below. What are some of the actions identified as building community? What are some of the benefits?

Matthew 18:20

Galatians 6:1-2

Colossians 3:13

Hebrews 3:12-13

Hebrews 10:24-25

1 Peter 4:10

- Which of these benefits have you experienced in your life? Was there a time you felt isolated or alone and then another Christian helped you? What happened?
  - What are some of the “community killers” identified in the passages? Are there some of these you have struggled with? How have you seen these isolate yourself or others?
6. Imagine a friend came to you, shared a struggle they were facing and how they felt like they were the only one. Based on your experience, what is something you could say that might help get them free from that thought?
- Is there anything you learned from questions 4 or 5 that you could share?

### Take It Home

7. What from this discussion could you put into practice this week?

**Additional Reading:** 1 Kings chapters 17-19

**Verse to Memorize:** Deuteronomy 31:8