

## When Darkness Falls - Life Group Questions

1. Pastor Dan opened his message with a story about a man in his sixties who was running a race that went for over 500 miles. At one point this man ran straight through the night while the other runners were sleeping. What spiritual principles come to your mind as you consider that story?
2. Read Ephesians 6:10-15. What are some of your thoughts as you read through these verses? What stands out to you?
3. Our battle is not against flesh and blood but rather it is against the forces of darkness. How does that reality impact your life?
4. What are some points where you have experienced the darkness (evil) in the world? Talk about how you have worked through the reality that God loves us and yet we go through hard/painful times?
5. One of the enemies's main plans is to use pain and difficulties to drive us into isolation. In what ways have you had to deal with the pull to isolate yourself in painful times?
6. Pastor Dan said that the heart of God (our Father) leaps when we pray. What thoughts/feelings does that statement bring into your heart and mind (doubt, joy, disbelief, wonder)?
7. Dan closed with the question, "What will I do today that has more potential for breakthrough than pray?" Let's take some time to pray for each other that we would experience breakthrough.