ACCOUNTABILITY

SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION:

- Share prayer requests.
- How would you define accountability? Be specific.
- Why is accountability important in the home, at work, and in spiritual relationships with other men?
- Most would agree that there is little to no accountability in Christian relationships, so what are the factors that contribute this? List them.
- In the introduction you were given four qualities of the man who is willing to stand in the breach. Read through these qualities below, rank yourself, and then discuss.

THE QUALITIES OF MEN WHO STAND IN THE BREACH

In the introduction of the book Vince lists four qualities inferred by the sentence in Ezekiel 22:30, which reads, “And I sought for a man among them who should build up the wall and stand in the breach before me for the land, that I should not destroy it, but I found none.” Use the following chevron scales to assess your current willingness to stand in the breach.

ONE – Active
I am a man who gets off the bench and into the game.

LOW 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 HIGH

TWO – Single Minded
I am a man who is focused on God’s will, purposes, and desires.

LOW 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 HIGH

THREE – Properly Aligned
I am a man who has my priorities in order, putting God in the highest place.

LOW 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 HIGH

FOUR – All-in
I am a man who gives all of my heart, mind, soul, and strength to God.

LOW 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 HIGH

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15 “If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault, between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have gained your brother. 16 But if he does not listen, take one or two others along with you, that every charge may be established by the evidence of two or three witnesses. 17 If he refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church. And if he refuses to listen even to the church, let him be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. 18 Truly, I say to you, whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven. 19 Again I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything they ask, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven. 20 For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them.”

MATTHEW 18:15-20

MY KEY OBSERVATIONS:

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS:

- Vince mentioned in the video, that accountability lead to the rewards of **brotherhood**, **growth**, and **unity** in Christ. How desperate are you for these three things in your life right now? (Rank yourself below.) Discuss why this is for you?

- How willing are you to be held accountable? (Rank yourself below.) Discuss why this is for you? What do you need to do to move one more notch up the scale?

- What one issue needs to be addressed, and what one step do you need to take this week? Commit to praying for each other, daily this week. Exchange phone numbers and text each other for support.

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