

SERMON DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

RESILIENT WEEK 2

*While anyone can take time to answer these questions individually, these questions are best discussed in a group! Not in a group yet? We want you in one! Head over to **southeastchristian.org** to join a group in person or online, wherever you are - today!*

Which YouTube/Instagram influencers do you most regularly watch? What kind of content do they create? What first drew you to their channel? Can you point to any specific way their content has influenced/helped you? How do we determine if a “influencer” is worth listening to?

Read 2 Chronicles 30:1-14. What did King Hezekiah want to influence the people of Judah to do? Why was this so important? What were the different responses of the people in the nation? How do you think you would have responded to the king’s request?

Leadership and influence can be a tricky subject. Who was the worst leader you ever followed? What kind of influence did they have on your life? Who was the best leader you ever followed? In what ways has their influence and example impacted your life?

Has there ever been a time when you knew you had to fight for something? What happened to bring you to that point? As influencers, how do we know when it’s time to stand up and fight for what is right? What are some criteria you use to know if a fight is worth it?

Think about your 10 closest friends. In what ways have they influenced your life? How have they been a part of who you have become? What kind of influence would you say you have had on them? As you think about the areas where you have influence (home/work/etc.), what kind of influence do you want to have on those around you?

Carl closed his message with the story of a friend whose wife turned away from the faith. He said: ‘Jesus isn’t walking through that door, I am.’ As Christians, how do the people around us see Jesus through our example? What responsibility/influence does that give us? Close by praying together that God would help us live up to that influence.