

## Small Group Questions: At The Movies/Return of the Titans

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### Read

Exodus 2:11–12; Numbers 20:8–11; and Psalm 106:32–33

### Reflect

In 1971, white football coach Bill Yoast is demoted after many winning seasons, in place of Herman Boone, an African American coach with very different ideas on how to build a successful team. Under Boone's direction, they turn a racially divided team into champions on and off the field.

Pastor Josh Surratt provides key insights from the movie, *Return of the Titans*.

1. Leaders lead.
  - a. How would you define a leader?
  - b. In what areas of your life have you been called to lead?
  - c. How are you trying to lead and think differently during this time of uncertainty and division?
2. Leaders listen.
  - a. How willing are you to listen to others who are different from you?
  - b. Who should you have a conversation with soon? Who do you need to show grace to?
  - c. Describe a time when you listened to someone with a different perspective and learned something important?
3. Leaders leave room for others to journey their own path.
  - a. How hard is it to stay open to new or different ways of leading?
  - b. When have you given someone leeway to grow and you've seen them succeed or learn something valuable?
4. Leaders let go of whatever they're holding onto that contributes to the problem.
  - a. Like Moses stepping aside for Joshua to lead, when have you helped someone else move forward for the good of the group?
    - i. What did it feel like you were giving up? But what did God teach you through it? What did you gain?
  - b. What can we learn from Moses and the coaches in *Return of the Titans*?
  - c. What needs to change about the way you're leading? What is stirring in you?

What's one key takeaway from the message that can help you grow in your faith?

**Respond:** Where is God leading you? How can your small group support you?