



### Custom Student Ministry

Series Name: Games People Play

Week 3: The Game of Life

#### Series Overview:

Ever heard of the games hide and seek, Operation, The Game of Life, and tag? This series is sure to bring back some nostalgia as we discover some Biblical principles we can find throughout these classic games.

#### Message Overview:

In this message we will discover that the strategy for winning this board game is not the strategy that will help you be successful in this life. Chasing after status, possessions, popularity, or wealth will leave us only wanting more, but it's only by having a relationship with God and investing in things with eternal value that we become satisfied.

#### Small Group Questions:

- 1) Read Psalm 37:4. What does it look like to delight in the Lord?
- 2) Like the rich man in the story, what's something you've chased that you thought would satisfy but ultimately didn't?
- 3) It's important to have people in our lives who are honest with us and aren't afraid to tell us the truth even if we don't want to hear it. Who do you have in your circle that can call you out when you start to chase after things that don't align with what God desires for us?
- 4) Do you tend to be more self-focused like the rich man or others-focused like Jesus? What steps can you take today to start living like Jesus?