

LEADERSHIP

AT THE RIDGE

Online

Team Leader Module 1 – Connect Team Member’s Role to God’s Vision for The Ridge

Core Competency 1

Connect Team Members' Role to God’s Vision for The Ridge.

Objective

To equip you to help others follow and maintain God’s vision for The Ridge and their own lives. “Vision,” writes Andy Stanley, “is a clear mental picture of what could be, fueled by the conviction that it *should* be.” To equip you to help your team members understand how their role plays into God’s vision for the Ridge and God’s ordained vision for each of the roles of their life.

Assignments Overview

Assignment 1 | Read Ephesians 2:10 and answer the questions below.

Assignment 2 | Listen to both of Andy Stanley’s Visioneering Podcasts and answer the questions below.

Assignment 3 | Begin clarifying what you believe your future should hold.

Assignment 1

Reflect on Ephesians 2:10 and answer the questions below.

Questions

1. What word or phrase sticks out to you the most from this verse?

2. When you started serving at The Ridge, did you feel God was leading you to do so?

3. In your current season of life, what makes it tough to see and believe God is preparing you for His vision for you?

Assignment 2

Listen to both of Andy Stanley's Visioneering Podcasts.

- **Visioneering – Part 1**
https://www.listennotes.com/podcasts/andy-stanley/visioneering-part-1-vcT-ax9V_qRY/
- **Visioneering – Part 2**
<https://podbay.fm/p/andy-stanley-leadership-podcast/e/1478232001>

Questions

1. How would you rate yourself as a Visioneer and why?
(1=Poor, 3=Average, 5=A model for others to learn from.)
2. Have you ever followed someone else's vision? Why?
3. When your vision is criticized, what is your typical response? Where do you channel your emotion?
4. How have those who are partnering with you been affected by your criticism?

Assignment 3

You have multiple visions for your life. Some are clearer than others. To begin clarifying what you believe your future should hold, write a one-sentence summary relating how you believe life 'ought to be' in the following areas. In other words, describe your preferred future.

- Career
 - Finances
 - Spouse
 - Children
 - Relationship with God
 - Serving in The Church
- Write your answer here:

Visions are often born in the soul of a man or woman who is gripped by a tension between *what is* and *what should be*. Are you gripped by a particular tension? If so, take a minute to describe it.

- What's bothering you?
 - What is the solution?
 - What should be?
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- Take time to write your thoughts here:

Questions

1. Have any of your burdens begun to feel like a moral imperative?

2. Do you see a connection between your visions and what God is doing in this world? If so, describe the connection here ...

3. How does your picture of a preferred future support God's will?

Leadership Takeaways

What are at least two LEADERSHIP TAKEAWAYS from this module? Be prepared to discuss with your group.

- 1.

- 2.