Your steadfast love is better than life. Psalm 63:3

Session 1: The Recipe: COIA

* Delight is always propped up by structure.
* God’s affection for us is not wrapped up in how quickly we can understand the Bible.
* Through the encouragement of the gospel, we get to decide to persevere through the tough stuff.

Session 2: Context Matters

* When we understand the depth of our sin and the magnitude of God’s forgiveness, we earnestly seek Him.
* Though God will generously forgive sin, He never overlooks it—and the Bible doesn’t either.
* God hates sin not simply because it’s bad, but because it’s bad for us.

Session 3: The Art of Paying Attention

* Observation is the art of paying attention.
* When we are in dry and weary places, we can also look to God.
* Structure isn’t always glittery and loud and parade-like, but it’s always necessary for the most delightful things.

Session 4: What Did He Mean by That?

* God is honored when we genuinely desire to understand Him.
* The belief that God’s love is better than life inspires a response.

Session 5: The Story of Hunger

* Spiritual cravings can have the same impact as physical cravings.
* Wherever we’re standing, there’s a strong pull to crave things that will not satisfy.
* God extended steadfast love to us through His son Jesus, even though we didn’t deserve it.

Session 6: Eagerly Seeking God

* When you read the Bible, God’s Word and God’s Spirit partner with you to discern your thoughts and your heart’s intentions.
* God has given you everything you need to pursue Christlikeness: His Word and His Spirit.

Session 7: Buckets of Delight

* Jesus’ body, broken for all sinners, is a refuge for those who follow Him.
* God reveals Himself to His people through the Bible.

Session 8: What About the Weird Stuff in the Bible?

* We always want to interpret the Bible with integrity.
* The gospel is the story of Jesus’ life, death, and resurrection.

Session 9: Confidence in Christ

* Don’t satisfy your cravings with lesser things. Earnestly seek after the Lord through His Word.
* Christ followers can know that their identity is secure.