



## What Are the Essentials of Biblical Christianity?

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### Group Discussion Guide

1. What stood out to you from the sermon and the scriptures that were covered? Explain.
2. Review your answer to question 4 in chapter 2 - *What fundamental beliefs about God do you hold as "essential" (those that fall in the bullseye)?* Now that you have read this section, how has your list of essential truths changed?
3. What is the difference, practically speaking, in intellectually believing *in* God and *seeking after him* in your life?
4. In your own words, describe how Jesus saves us.
5. What is the basis of your confidence that the Holy Spirit lives in you? Explain.
6. What events in our lives can challenge our perseverance in having a faithful faith?
7. What are some strategies that might encourage us to persevere in our faith? The verses explored in the sixth point may be helpful in thinking through these strategies.