Breaking Down the Barriers

Facilitator's Suggestions

Seminar Schedule

We suggest you schedule the seminar for one night a week for 6 weeks—maybe as a prayer meeting or on another evening.

Seminar Charges

You may want to charge a small fee for printing out the handouts and providing a folder for each participant—\$5.00 or so

Seminar Advertising—printable from this CD (Write or type in Date, Time, location, etc.)

- Posters to be put up in church or around town bulletin boards
- Bulletin inserts to be placed in church bulletin 2-4 weeks in advance.
- Bulletin Announcements—Title of seminar, location, date and times
- Promo DVD to be shown 2-3 weeks in advance.

Preparing for the Seminar

- · Print out a copy of the Seminar Welcome, Session handouts for each participant.
- Have 3X5 cards available.
- You may want to purchase a two-pocket folder for each participant
- Pray for God's Holy Spirit to work in your own heart and in each participant's heart as well.

Each Session

At the beginning of each session, review the previous week's session and ask for anyone to share how they were impacted or blessed as they did their worksheets during the week. Discuss ways to apply what you are learning in each session. Then watch the DVD session. Encourage participants to do the worksheets and read the last page of handout before the next session.

Suggested questions at the beginning of each Session:

Session 1—Welcome and explanation of seminar—Give out all seminar handouts

Session 2—Have you seen any blind spots? Did you find any sins/weaknesses that were inherited? How about cultivated?

Session 3—Did you gain victory over temptation this week? Would you like to share your experience? Did you experience God's forgiveness when you failed this week?

Session 4—Did any of you see yourself in the Pride/Self Checkup? Would you like to share one of them that may have been a blind spot for you? Did you get a chance to make something right with someone you had wronged? Have you experienced freedom in your life as you've made some things right? Have you studied anything this week that made God's love more real to you?

Session 5—Have you forgiven someone you hadn't forgiven before? Did you see forgiveness and bitterness in a different way than you had before?

Session 6—Did you get a chance to write down what you were "thinking" this week? Did you see any negative thinking or distorted thinking or lies? Were you able to replace them with the truth? Did you remember to say, "Lord, I choose to trust you" this week when you faced a tough time?