# Life Changing Learning Session 3 Plan

## Introduction

## Main Objectives of this session

* Think about ongoing work on bringing LCL into our discipleship.

## Session Plan

**TASK 1**

Task for One Group: in small groups, think about a real life issue you have recently faced or are facing. This could be a situation in your church, your local community, your family, or a personal issue. For example, how to appoint a new pastor; how to deal with someone in your church who has gone astray morally; how to lead someone to faith in Jesus; how to discipline children.

Come up with a case study based on this issue: one that can be acted out in a role play.

For example: you choose the issue of *how to encourage your children to help with household jobs*. Your case study could involve three people: mother, father and son. Mother wants the son to do chores (help with jobs) in the home every day, but feels father is not supporting her in this. Father feels that son should be allowed to have fun and relax after a busy day at school. Son is preoccupied with video games. This creates tension between all three. Three people act out this role play.

**TASK 2**

Task for Two Groups:

Work with another group: Give the case study to the other group to role play. Observe each other’s drama.

After each drama, reflect together on how the issue could be tackled in a constructive way.

**TASK 3**

In individual groups:

Now, a) look at the course book of *Abundant Life* for a particular lesson which connects to the situation touched on at 1.

OR, b) if you have another TEE book or similar discipleship material which connects to the issue, then use that.

OR, c) if you can’t make a connection from a) or b) above, write a course question (TEE style question) that would deal with the issue you’ve raised.

Reflect: *How far do you think the lesson material that you’ve found or created addresses the real life issue you have been dealing with? In light of what we’ve been looking at in this track so far, what else might you need to add to try to ensure life-changing learning? (remember to* consider if there is any related practical application in any **Leader Guide** which would relate to the issue you raised.

Plenary:

Now some more content. Here is an excellent PPT about Non-formal Christian Leader Development from **Malcolm Webber, at Leader Source. Used with permission.**

* Begin with the goal: where do you want your people to get to? Think backwards
* The importance of informal learning.

How would these principles shape the work you’ve done with your case study?

Two groups together:

As group leaders, what else could you do to enhance practical application more generally? Brainstorm in 2 groups together.

Pass your brainstorm to next 2 groups to add to, to circle esp, useful ones and to add to your ideas.

Four groups together:

Describe to the group in what way you’d like to use the learning from this whole track in the future in your ministry?

## Q and A Panel

## Prayer to Close