

# MESSAGE NOTES



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## Settling for Less

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Exodus 32 & 33, pp. 128-129

**Could it be that we often settle for less than what God really wants for us?**

1. I do not want God's blessing... (33:1-3)

2. I do not want God's protection/salvation... (33:1-3)

3. I do not want God's leading/guidance... (32:34-33:3)

4. I do not want God's Word... (31:18 & 32:19 & 33:3, 12-23)

I do not want Your blessings...without You!

I do not want Your protection...without You!

I do not want Your salvation...without You!

I do not want Your guidance...without You!

I do not want Your Word...without You!

**the one thing:**

I am not a settler!

*Miss something? All of these sermon notes will be available online Monday.*



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## JOIN THE CONVERSATION

Think of your weekly discussion group as more of a book club than a Bible study. All you have to do is share your responses to five simple questions:

1. What's something you noticed **for the first time**?
2. What **questions** did you have?
3. Was there anything that **bothered** you?
4. What did you learn about **loving God**?
5. What did you learn about **loving others**?

## NEXT STEPS

- Memorize Exodus 33:15-16.
- Continue your CBE readings and group discussions.
- Pray Philippians 3:7-10.
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

## BENEVOLENCE FUND

**TODAY, we will have the opportunity to give to Oakwood's benevolence fund.** This fund is used in the name of Jesus to help those in unusual or crisis financial situations.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

### FEBRUARY

FAMILY PROMISE .....	12-19
ALL-CHURCH WINTER FEST .....	15
DATE NIGHT .....	17
6 MONTH MINISTRY UPDATE .....	19
6 MONTH BUDGET REVIEW MEETING .....	20
QUEST 56 WINTER EVENT .....	24
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### MARCH

TROUBLED MINDS: WOMEN & ANXIETY .....	3
MEN'S BREAKFAST .....	4
TROUBLED MINDS: ALL-CHURCH PILLARS .....	4
TABLETOP GAME NIGHT .....	10
WOMEN'S RETREAT .....	17-18