

# THE LAST KINGDOM

## Part Three Discussion Questions

1. When is the last time you can remember someone telling you what to do? How did it make you feel?
2. Reed talked about how we often think of Jesus as having a role in our lives other than King—Savior Jesus, Comforter Jesus, Ticket-to-Heaven Jesus, and Bestie Jesus. Do you find you often think of Jesus as having one of those roles in your life more than a king with authority?
3. When you hear the words, “submit,” “surrender,” or “obey,” how do you feel? Do those bring up any tension in you? Why?
4. In his Sermon on the Mount, Jesus talks about his kingdom being one that values humility, service to others, conviction, generosity, and peace. How would our world look different if everyone shared those values and lived by them?
5. Read Matthew 7:24-27. Jesus is describing two different ways to build a house—one that will stand through challenging conditions and one that will not—as an analogy for our lives. What’s the difference between these two?
6. Is there a specific area of your life in which you resist surrender to the authority of King Jesus? What can you do to submit to him, and remember that he knows what’s best for you?