

“Football Sunday”

Thomas Davis – Carolina Panthers Linebacker

Drew Brees - New Orleans Saints Quarterback

For we live by faith, not by sight.

2 Corinthians 5:7 (NIV)

Trent Dilfer – Baltimore Ravens Quarterback (Retired)

*For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son,
that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.*

John 3:16 (NIV)

Growth Group Questions

(Questions and Scriptures for further study)

1. What is your favorite sports team? How did they become ‘your team’?
2. When you hear professional athletes give glory to God in an interview what do you think? How can you tell if they are sincere?
3. Thomas Davis Sr of the Carolina Panthers had a heart condition and 3 ACL tears. With God's help fought his way back to play in the Super bowl. Tell about a time you had to work hard to ‘get back in the game’ in some area of your life?

What is the relationship between hard work and God's blessing in your life?

4. Re read 2 Corinthians 5:7. Drew Brees followed God's leading to New Orleans, he said it didn't make sense but he was living by faith. When is a time you did something that didn't make sense because you were living by faith?
5. Trent Dilfer told the heartbreaking story of a family crisis with his son. Has there been a time of desperation where you could only turn to God? What happened?

John 3:16 tells us God willingly gave up his son that we might be saved. Who in your life needs to know the life changing truth of God's love for them?