

Be Free Group Coach & Captain Training

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BE FREE Group Coaching Mission Statement

"My role as a Coach is to love and encourage leaders through <u>Providing Covering</u>, <u>Promoting</u> <u>Growth</u>, and <u>Producing Leaders</u> in their groups."

Three Responsibilities of a Coach

1. COVERING

- Pray for Leaders/Co-leaders by name DAILY
- Communicate regularly with the leaders & co leaders
- Be available to answer questions
- Help them navigate resources

2. GROWTH

- Meet with the Leaders/Co-leaders together
- Help them "Move One Step"
- Encourage them in their leadership
- Coaches must communicate any issues they are made aware of with a captain
- A captain must be present for any individual meetings with leaders or co-leaders

3. PRODUCE FUTURE LEADERS

- Encourage Leaders/Co-leaders to look for new leaders from their group
- Connect with potential leaders during group visits
- Celebrate testimonies from the group
- Continue to share the vision

Outline of a Group Visit

1. Decide in advance when your group visits will take place

- 2. Arrive early to participate in pre-group worship and prayer
- 3. Ask the Leader/Co-leaders how they want you to participate
- 4. Pray with participants if requested
- 5. Give constructive feedback to the leaders after the group is finished
- 6. Don't assume the group should look exactly like your group Policy vs. Preference **

Be prepared to lead a group in the event, the leader is not present**

Recommended Resources

John Maxwell books on Leadership

(such as Leadership 101; The 360° Leader; 25 Ways to Win with People; Today Matters; Intentional Living)