

# THE 6 COMMUNITY GROUP LEADER ESSENTIALS

1. **THINK** *Life change*  
*WHY WE DO GROUPS*
2. Cultivate **RELATIONSHIPS**  
*HOW YOU BUILD COMMUNITY*
3. **PROMOTE** participation  
*HOW YOU LEAD A GROUP*
4. **REPLACE** yourself  
*HOW YOU INTENTIONALLY APPRENTICE*
5. **Provide CARE**  
*HOW YOU HANDLE TOUGH SITUATIONS*
6. **MULTIPLY** influence  
*HOW YOU MAXIMIZE IMPACT*

*THE PURPOSE OF A COMMUNITY GROUP IS*  
...To provide a predictable *small group environment* where participants experience **AUTHENTIC COMMUNITY** and **SPIRITUAL GROWTH**.

**AUTHENTIC COMMUNITY** { *Accountability*  
*Belonging*  
*Care*

**SPIRITUAL GROWTH** { *Intimacy with God*  
*Community with Insiders*  
*Influence with Outsiders*

*THE "WINS" FOR THE GROUP LEADER ARE*  
...when you grow in the three vital relationships.  
...when you shepherd the group members' growth in the three vital relationships.  
...when you create a predictable group environment by successfully executing the six leader essentials.