

There's greatness in the Room...

Pray like Hezekiah

2 Kings 19:14-19

Focus: to acknowledge God's all-sufficient greatness when we pray

Discussion:

- It might be good to read the context for Hezekiah's prayer from. 2 Chronicles 32:1-23 as you begin. What would be the temptations God's people would face in this situation?
- Why do you think Hezekiah's words of faith and encouragement in verses 7 & 8 are so important in light of Assyria's taunts? How do these words affect you as you think about threats to your faith?
- Now read Hezekiah's prayer from 2 Kings 19:14-19. What encourages you most about Hezekiah's prayer? What questions does it raise?
- How ought you pray differently in light of who Hezekiah describes God to be?
- How important is praise that exalts God as great to your praying? How can you implement that more in your praying?
- Spend time praying for those in your group who are facing hardship and feel their faith is under attack. Begin by reading scriptures that exalt God as great.

Here is a helpful resource to help you prepare for your small group discussion:

[http://www.desiringgod.org/
messages/winning-battles-
through-prayer](http://www.desiringgod.org/messages/winning-battles-through-prayer)

And here is a list of verse on God's greatness:

[http://bible.knowing-jesus.com/
topics/God,-Greatness-Of](http://bible.knowing-jesus.com/topics/God,-Greatness-Of)

