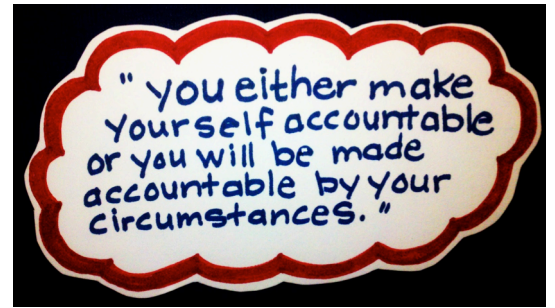


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"Having this Accountability is Essential to Me"

Joining EMAW was a great decision for my faith. I thank my Wife for encouraging me to join, despite the sacrifice she makes by having me home late on Tuesday night.

She and I both know that, as a Man, I am called to be the spiritual leader of my household. In order to effectively do that we need training and discipline. I personally had been struggling with 'chair' time. We consistently attend the 'row' and are part of many 'circles' within the Church, but I found that I struggled to get in the habit of one-on-one quiet time with God. EMAW requires quiet times and verse memorization. It also gives me a great opportunity to share life with other Men who are in similar circumstances. We live in a broken and corrupt world where Men are not respected. Part of the reason for this is that Men have surrendered their roles and have become confused and afraid to embrace their true identity. We are made for battle and leading a family is an honorable and necessary cause for every man. I look forward to Tuesday's with my group and I make sure to do my homework as to not let them down. It is great sharing quiet times with group as we each touch on different parts of the Bible on any given week. Having that accountability is essential to me. My Wife is proud of me as she has noticed positive change in me. I am determined to complete the study and am praying about the possibility to lead a future group in the study as I believe it is key to a healthy Church.

The only thing I would change is the term 'Quiet Time'. It doesn't sound 'Manly Enough'. We should come up with a sports or military metaphor to replace that term.

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