SESSION 3
HIGH SCHOOL JOURNAL PAGE

STUDY TOOL: Making a List

When you see a list, check it twice:
1.
2.

DIGGING IN

Actions **Descriptions**

Dangers

CROSS CHECKING

For each of Jude's illustrations below, read the "Background Info" verses. Spend a moment and ask the Lord how these verses relate to Jude's message about the "certain men." Then write the point of each illustration in the "What's The Point?" column.

Jude's Illustrations	Background Info	What's The Point?
...Sodom and Gomorrah and the surrounding towns gave themselves up to sexual immorality and perversion. They serve as an example of those who suffer the punishment of eternal fire (v. 7)	**Genesis 18:16–21** **Genesis 19:24–29**	
...they have been destroyed in Korah's rebellion (v. 11)	**Numbers 16:1–40**	

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My 3 Big Points:

1.

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3.

TAKING IT INWARD

There are two ways to take Jude's warnings to heart. First, we should protect ourselves against the influence of people who are like the "certain men" in our own lives. Second, we need to guard against their influence in Christian groups like your youth ministry. Glancing at the actions and descriptions you listed under "Digging In" (or looking at your Scripture sheets), write down the answers to these questions:

1. **Which of these actions or descriptions are weak spots in my life, where I could be open to the influence of people like the guys in Jude? Do I tend to be more worried about fitting in than avoiding these "certain men?" he talks about?**

2. **Which of these actions or descriptions are weak spots where our group could be vulnerable to influences from these people?**

Jude told his readers—including you!—to contend for the faith. You can't ignore your weak spots! If the Holy Spirit is talking to you about ways you can be influenced by ungodly people, take a minute to pray. Think about some ways you could slam the door on this kind of influence. Write some specific ideas below.

PUTTING INTO PRACTICE

My Jude Takeaways:

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