

### **Value Activity #1:**

1. We are at a county rodeo. I ask you to ride a calf and said I would pay you \$50.00. All you have to do is actually get on the calf and ride it out the gate. Would you do it?
2. Hey, there is a small steer over there. I will pay you \$100.00 to get on the steer and ride it out the gate. Would you do it?
3. Hey, that went well. Now how about riding the steer out and staying on for 8 seconds for \$150.00, okay? For \$200.00. Would you do it?
4. I have \$500.00 if you will get on a regular rodeo bull. All you have to do is get on, ride out of the gate, and stay on for 2 seconds. Would you do it?
5. Are you willing to try to stay on for 8 seconds for \$1000.00? Okay, what about \$5000.00? Would you do it?
6. Look over there. It is the national 1st place bull, Mudslinger. I will give you \$100,000.00 to get on and ride out the gate and stay on for 2 seconds.
7. How about doing it again and riding for 5 seconds for \$500,000.00? We have your family and loved ones in the corral. If you do not ride the bull for 5 seconds, Mudslinger will be left in the corral for what is left of your time. Would you do it?

### **Value Activity #2:**

1. Would you get in a regular car and drive 10 miles an hour and hit a tree for \$50.00?
2. I will give you \$200.00 if you drive at 15 miles an hour and hit the tree. Would you do it?
3. What about driving at 55 miles per hour and hitting a tree. Would you do it for \$500.00? \$1000.00?
4. What about driving at 100 miles per hour and hitting a tree. If I give you \$5000.00, would you do it? What if I told you that you would be given a position in the career of your choosing.

### **Value Activity #3:**

1. I have a 100 ft.-long beam (Telephone pole with two sides shaved flat). I have put it on top of two gymnastic balance beams. I will be standing at the other end with \$50.00 for you.
2. I have put the beam on two 10-foot ladders. You will climb up the ladder and walk across the beam. I will be at the other end with \$50.00. Would you do it? If I had \$500.00, would you do it?
3. I have put the beam across 2 two-story buildings. Would you meet me on the other side for \$500.00? What if I told you, you could have \$500,000.00 for crossing the beam?
4. Next, I have supported the beam at a height of 80 stories. Would you walk the beam for \$500,000.00? How about \$1,000,000.00?
5. Again, I supported the beam 80 stories up and placed ladders up each story. You will have to climb each ladder to reach the top and walk across the beam. Would you do it for 2,000,000.00? What about 1 billion dollars?

6. Finally, I have put several people whom you care very much for at the top. It is raining, and the wind is starting to blow. Would you climb up the 80 stories and walk the beam to save these people?

We are willing to do things that we normally would not do for things that we value. Take a moment and think of a few of these. Now, write them down what some of these might be and describe the condition.