

The image features a stylized tree with a thick, brown trunk and green foliage. The tree is positioned on the right side of the page. The background is composed of several large, overlapping squares in shades of green and yellow. The text "Session 1: Life Stewardship" is written in a white, serif font, centered over the tree and the background squares.

Session 1: Life Stewardship

Objectives Chart

	Application of Personal Story or Illustration	Questions for Evaluation	Additional Questions for Mentoring
Cognitive (Knowing Objectives)			
Gain a more complete understanding of the Biblical Principle of Stewardship	How has taking the Omega Course impacted how you steward your own life? What practices have you either integrated or left behind that pertain to this?	Define “stewardship” in your own words.	In what ways do you think the Biblical Principle of Stewardship will give you a new sense of freedom? How do you see this affecting your impact in God’s Kingdom?
Affective (Feeling Objectives)			
Be assured of God’s perfect provision for our lives.	Think about the time when you first felt assured of God’s perfect provision for your life. What were the circumstances leading up to this? What has happened as a result of that assurance?	What difference do you sense between knowing God’s perfect provision and feeling the assurance of God’s perfect provision?	On a scale of 1 to 10, how assured do you feel of God’s perfect provision? At what time in your life have you felt most assured about His perfect provision for you?
Behavioral (Doing Objectives)			
Spend time this week tracking our time and reflecting on the concept of Life Stewardship.	When you tracked your time as you took the Omega Course, did God reveal areas where you were using your time well? Did He have you reallocate time to different categories? What were these reallocations?	What were the top two revelations you had from tracking your time this week?	What insights have you gleaned from tracking your time this week? Are there any adjustments you feel prompted to make as a result of these insights? How will you know if you have been successful in making these adjustments?
Existential (Lifelong Objectives)			
Learn how to live as a Steward in God’s Kingdom by becoming a Fully Devoted Follower of Christ.	What areas of your life did you have to hand over to God in order to become a Fully Devoted Follower of Christ?	How would someone who doesn’t know you recognize you as a Fully Devoted Follower of Christ who lives as a Steward in God’s Kingdom?	Do you sense any area that is holding you back from being a Fully Devoted Follower of Christ? What would it take to give these areas fully to Him?

Follow-Up Learning Experiences

1. Is there something in your life that you have worked hard at being an “owner” of that God would like you to open your grip on and become a manager of? Think of a way that you can modify this particular thing – either by decreasing or increasing your involvement with some aspect of it over the next week.
2. Find the Mission Statement of a company or organization that you respect. Which aspects of it speak to you? Bring a copy of it or notes about it to next week’s session.

God Sightings

Here are some ways I saw God at work in *others* through this session:

Here are some ways I saw God at work in *me* through this session:

Weekly Prayer Requests

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Break-Point Questions

Introduction	At the start of this session we talked about the reasons people come to the Omega Course. Which one do you identify with most? Why are <i>you</i> here? Are you ready to make a C.O.R.E. commitment to the journey through the Omega Course with your small group?
Chapter 1: The Law of Stewardship	If you had to define “stewarding life” in your own words, how would you do it?
Chapter 2: God and Man through History	We live during a very unique and important time in history. With the possibility of connection to God the Father, through Jesus the Son in the Power of the Holy Spirit, we have access to greatness. How are you stewarding that opportunity in your life?
Chapter 3: The Battle for our Devotion	What is the battle between your desires and God’s desires for you like in your life? What are three ways of thinking or perspectives on life that influence you to do your will instead of God’s?
Chapter 4: Kairos vs. Chronos.	Are you living in Kairos or Chronos these days? Do you want God to guide and empower your life? If so, what is holding you back?