

GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS FOR  
CHAPTER 9 of  
LIVE NOT BY LIES, Rod Dreher (pages 165-182)  
“*STANDING IN SOLIDARITY*”

*Solidarity is defined as unity or agreement of feeling or action, especially among individuals with a common interest; mutual support within a group*

*Samizdat is the clandestine copying and distribution of literature banned by the state, especially formerly in the communist countries of eastern Europe.*

*How was samizdat used to keep the underground church functioning? pp 165-168*

*What did Simulcik say was the only thing that people of that time could feel free? p 167*

*Why did Frantisek Miklosko think young people today have harder than the people of his day? p 169*

*What counsel did he give young people because of that? p 169*

*What can small communities do to help those who think they are alone? pp 169-171*

*What sustained the hundreds of young believers in those small communities? p 170*

*How did small groups/communities serve as pastoral care? pp 171-174*

*What do those interviewed think about how far solidarity should go with groups not necessarily Christian? pp 174-177*

*How do small groups make carrying grief easier? pp 177-179*

*What do those who have been through a totalitarian struggle see as urgent, to be done now? pp 179-180*

*What is the advice in “See, Judge, Act”? pp 180-182*