

Summary Reflection on Ignatian Leadership

- 1. Please consider the various dimensions of Ignatian leadership that Lowney develops. Outline the aspects of his theory of effective leadership (chapters 1-3), and what elements of this theory have most impacted your own sense of leadership. Evaluate the major historical principles and figures that embodied and empowered the growth of the Jesuits in the world of the 16th and 17th centuries (chapters 4-6). How have they changed your own perspective on being a 'great leader?' Explore how the Jesuit model of heroism, ingenuity, and love grew into a world-wide organization, collapsed in political ruin, and grew again to even greater stature. What does this say about the potential for contemporary leadership in an endlessly fluctuating world order?**