

ISO: In Search of the One

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Read:

Genesis 3:8-9 (NIV); Genesis 3:21 (NIV); John 3:16 (NIV); Matthew 3:16-17 (NLT); Romans 8:16-17 (NLT); Ruth 1:16-17 (NIV); Colossians 3:23 (NLT)

Reflect:

As human beings, we find ourselves with desires that no earthly thing can satisfy. In this week's message, Lynne Stroy explains that the only thing that will satisfy this desire is a relationship with God.

Having a Relationship With God Means

1) UNDERSTANDING HIS LOVE FOR YOU

- a. What does the story of Adam and Eve tell us about God's love for us?
- b. How do you wrestle with the truth of God's love?

2) UNDERSTANDING YOUR IDENTITY IN HIM

- a. What might you build your identity on besides God?
- b. How would you explain your identity in God?
- c. Read Matthew 3:16-17 and Romans 8:16-17; how would God explain your identity?

3) UNDERSTANDING YOUR PURPOSE THROUGH HIM

- a. Do you feel as if you have a firm grasp on your purpose through God? Explain.
- b. How can we draw on the story of Ruth in order to better understand our purpose?

Response

Where is God leading you? How can your small group support you?