

Family Matters

MESSAGE NOTES & SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE WEEK 5 – ONE FAMILY’S STORY Jeremiah 29-11-13

Important Lessons Learned From 49 Years of Family Life

Our relationship with God

¹¹For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. ¹²Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. ¹³You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.

– Jeremiah 29-11-13

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Our relationship with each other

¹⁸The Lord said, “It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a helper suitable for him.” ²²Then the Lord God made a woman from the rib he had taken out of the man, and he brought her to the man.

– Genesis 2:18, 22

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Our relationship with our family

¹³For you created my inmost being; you knit me together in my mother's womb. ¹⁶all the days ordained for me were written in your book before one of them came to be.

– Psalm 139:13, 16

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Where do we go from here?

DIGGING DEEPER:

1. What is one thing you can do to strengthen your relationship with God?
 - As an individual?
 - As a couple?
 - As a family?
2. What is one thing you can do to strengthen your relationship with your spouse?
 - As an individual?
 - As a couple?
3. What is one thing you can do to strengthen your relationships as a family?
 - With your children individually?
 - As a family?
 - With your grandchildren?
4. What would be the most important one thing you could do to strengthen your family?