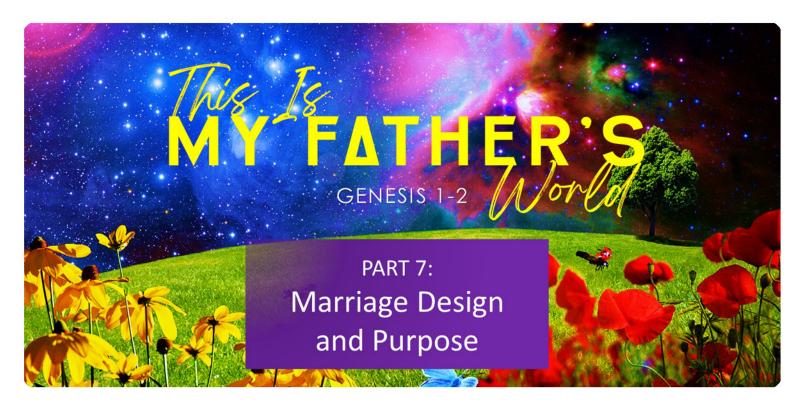


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Conversation starter: How are you? Share one struggle and one joy in your life now.

Discovery:

- 1. Reread aloud Genesis 2:15-24. What comes out to you most in the passage? What curiosities arise as you hear it today?
- 2. When you ponder again the newly-created human or man in (vv 15-18), what image(s) come to mind? For instance, do you imagine him at a particular age? What does the surrounding environment look like, etc? Where do those images come from, and what assumptions might they make?

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Understanding:

- 3. Revisit the term "helper" by reading aloud Psalm 46:1, 121:1, and Isaiah 41:10. Discuss your understanding of the term now in the context of Gen 2: 18-20. What is the passage teaching here about God's design project?
- 4. Has this passage challenged your understanding of marriage or who God is and what He's like, and if so, how?

Application:

- 5. What is at stake for us personally in this passage? What impact does that seem to have on understanding it? Why is that, do you think?
- 6. Is there any personal behavior or attitude that you are now moved to address in your life?
- 7. Pray together silently and then aloud together as it flows from your time together. Are you led to respond in any way as a result?

