



PART 1 - BACK TO THE BEGINNING

GENESIS 2:4-15

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MESSAGE NOTES

**BIG IDEA FOR THE WEEK: HOSPITALITY IS _____ IDEA,
AS HE CREATED A PLACE WHERE HIS PEOPLE COULD
FLOURISH IN HIS PRESENCE**

1. EVERYTHING GOD BUILT, _____ SHARED

2. EVERYTHING GOD SHARED, _____ BUILD AND SHARE

SMALL GROUP AND DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

These questions are designed to extend the impact of the Sunday gathering. Use them to go deeper in your personal study time, with your family, and/or with your Life Group

1. Which part of the message was most impactful for you and why? Which part of this passage is easiest for you? The hardest?
2. If God is self-sufficient, meaning He needs nothing and no one. Why do you think He created a garden in Eden, and placed humans in it?
3. What happens to our understanding of hospitality if we see it as helping others find their purpose, not just meeting their needs?
4. How does God's hospitality in Genesis 2 foreshadow the gospel invitation of Jesus?
5. What keeps us from being more hospitable—fear, busyness, pride, insecurity? Why?
6. How might remembering God's generous invitation to you reshape the way you see your home, your church, and your relationships?
7. What is one practical step you can take this week to get out of any comfort zones or insecurities to be more hospitable this week?

God, hospitality was Your idea first. Thank You for preparing a place for humans to experience Your presence. Help me as I go about my day, at my work, with my family and friends, to reveal Your love and presence to them. Help me as I bring Your hope to people You love. In Your Name, Jesus, amen.