4 Questions for the passage (self-study):

What is God teaching us about Himself? What is God teaching us about our self? What is God teaching us about others? So what?

Why do we need the Bible? It leads us home! Explore the Bible and it will Change Your Life!

"The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge." Proverbs 1:7

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April 9 – Why do we have the BIBLE April 16 – Genesis gives a FOUNDATION	• This is seen in His GUIDANCE . We reflect this IMACE .
April 23 – Exodus to Numbers give a	We reflect this <u>IMAGE</u> . Personal Insights:
April 30 – Deuteronomy gives a	
Focus Text: Genesis 2:4, 15-18	Genesis is the foundation of <u>THEOLOGY</u>.God is <u>SOVEREIGN</u>.
Introduction:	• God is HOLY .
• Genesis is probably the most FAMILIAR .	• God is REDEEMER .
• Everything in the Bible <u>BUILDS</u> on it.	Personal Insights:
• It raises QUESTIONS and gives ANSWERS .	
Personal Insights:	Genesis sets up promises <u>MADE</u> and promises <u>KEPT</u>
	• If <u>YOU</u>
Genesis answers the questions WHERE did I COME	I <u>WILL</u>God is not <u>PASSIVELY</u> involved but <u>ACTIVELY</u>
FROM and WHY am I HERE? • You were INTENTIONAL.	involved. You can trust Him!
• You have VALUE.	Personal Insights:
• The deeper the SEARCH the deeper will be the	·
DISCOVERY.	What is your foundation? Will you commit to making the
Personal Insights:	Bible the foundation of your life?
	SO What – NOW What
 Genesis shows us GOD is KNOWABLE This is seen in His PRESENTATION 	Tasks to be done later – write them down, leave them, and get back to the message!

Prayer Concerns:
Notes for Personal Study:



SERMON NOTES

The Church that Jesus commissioned is a Church that must be a Disciple-Making Church! The Bible shows a disciple is one who has encountered Christ, been changed by Christ and is following Christ with other believers.

I see the Sunday message as one part of the disciple-making process, so I am intentional with sermon notes. Please note:

- 1. The blanks that are provided are intended to provide a framework for God's message to you.
- 2. The personal insight blanks are intended for you to reflect on what God is saying to you.
- 3. The sermon notes and your notes are intended for us to move through an intentional, discipleship process.

I pray today's message strengthens you in your walk with Jesus and the overflow impacts others!

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