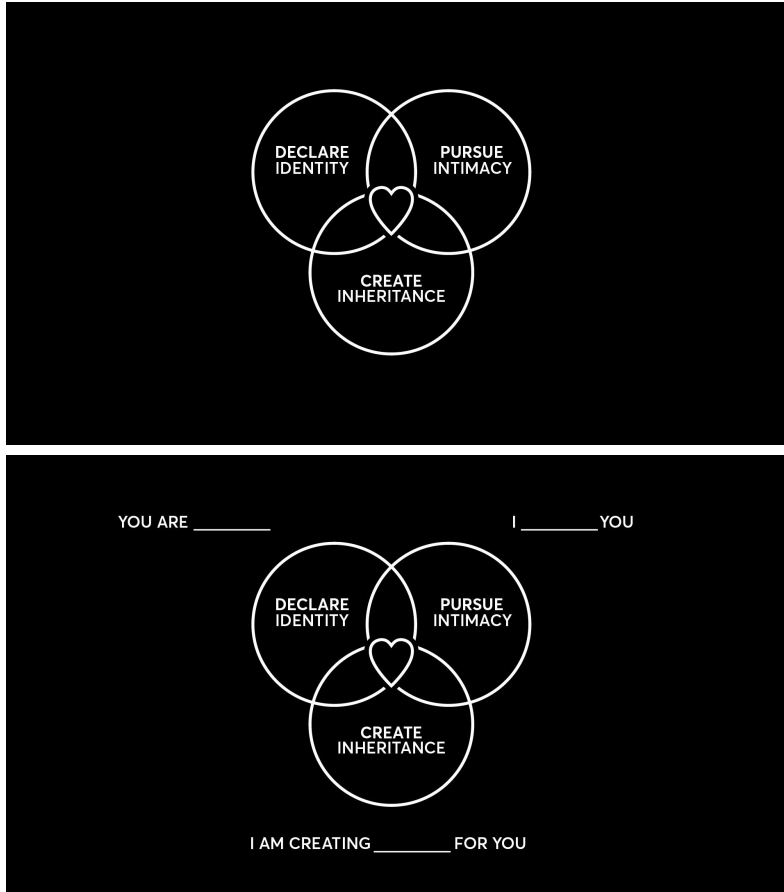


BE A MAN – LEAD YOUR FAMILY
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GENESIS 1:28 AMPC AND GOD BLESSED THEM AND SAID TO THEM, BE FRUITFUL, MULTIPLY, AND FILL THE EARTH, AND SUBDUE IT USING ALL ITS VAST RESOURCES IN THE SERVICE OF GOD AND MAN; AND HAVE DOMINION OVER... THE EARTH.



1 JOHN 2:15-17 (16 AMPC) DO NOT LOVE THE WORLD OR ANYTHING IN THE WORLD. IF ANYONE LOVES THE WORLD, **THE LOVE OF THE FATHER IS NOT IN HIM.** FOR ALL THAT IS IN THE WORLD – **THE LUST OF THE FLESH** [CRAVING FOR SENSUAL GRATIFICATION] AND **THE LUST OF THE EYES** [GREEDY LONGINGS OF THE MIND] AND **THE PRIDE OF LIFE** [ASSURANCE IN ONE'S OWN RESOURCES OR IN THE STABILITY OF EARTHLY THINGS] – THESE DO NOT COME FROM THE FATHER BUT ARE FROM THE WORLD. THE WORLD AND ITS DESIRES PASS AWAY, BUT THE MAN WHO DOES THE WILL OF GOD LIVES FOREVER.

LUKE 12:15-21 THEN HE SAID TO THEM, "WATCH OUT! BE ON YOUR GUARD AGAINST ALL KINDS OF GREED; **A MAN'S LIFE DOES NOT CONSIST IN THE ABUNDANCE OF HIS POSSESSIONS.**" AND HE TOLD THEM THIS PARABLE: "THE GROUND OF A CERTAIN RICH MAN PRODUCED A GOOD CROP. HE THOUGHT TO HIMSELF, 'WHAT SHALL I DO? I HAVE NO PLACE TO STORE MY CROPS.' THEN HE SAID, 'THIS IS WHAT I'LL DO. I WILL TEAR DOWN MY BARNs AND BUILD BIGGER ONES, AND THERE I WILL STORE ALL MY GRAIN AND MY GOODS. AND **I'LL SAY TO MYSELF,** 'YOU HAVE PLENTY OF GOOD THINGS LAID

UP FOR MANY YEARS. TAKE LIFE EASY; EAT, DRINK AND BE MERRY.'" BUT GOD SAID TO HIM, 'YOU FOOL! THIS VERY NIGHT YOUR LIFE WILL BE DEMANDED FROM YOU. THEN WHO WILL GET WHAT YOU HAVE PREPARED FOR YOURSELF?' THIS IS HOW IT WILL BE WITH ANYONE WHO STORES UP THINGS FOR HIMSELF BUT IS NOT RICH TOWARD GOD."

GENESIS 2:15-18 THE LORD GOD TOOK THE MAN AND PUT HIM IN THE GARDEN OF EDEN TO WORK IT AND TAKE CARE OF IT. AND THE LORD GOD COMMANDED THE MAN, "YOU ARE FREE TO EAT FROM ANY TREE IN THE GARDEN; BUT YOU MUST NOT EAT FROM THE TREE OF THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOOD AND EVIL, FOR WHEN YOU EAT OF IT YOU WILL SURELY DIE." THE LORD GOD SAID, "IT IS NOT GOOD FOR THE MAN TO BE ALONE. I WILL MAKE A HELPER SUITABLE FOR HIM."

GENESIS 3:1-6 NOW THE SERPENT WAS MORE CRAFTY THAN ANY OF THE WILD ANIMALS THE LORD GOD HAD MADE. HE SAID TO THE WOMAN, "DID GOD REALLY SAY, 'YOU MUST NOT EAT FROM ANY TREE IN THE GARDEN'?" THE WOMAN SAID TO THE SERPENT, "WE MAY EAT FRUIT FROM THE TREES IN THE GARDEN, BUT GOD DID SAY, 'YOU MUST NOT EAT FRUIT FROM THE TREE THAT IS IN THE MIDDLE OF THE GARDEN, AND YOU MUST NOT TOUCH IT, OR YOU WILL DIE.'" "YOU WILL NOT SURELY DIE," THE SERPENT SAID TO THE WOMAN. "FOR GOD KNOWS THAT WHEN YOU EAT OF IT YOUR EYES WILL BE OPENED, AND YOU WILL BE LIKE GOD, KNOWING GOOD AND EVIL." WHEN THE WOMAN SAW THAT THE FRUIT OF THE TREE WAS GOOD FOR FOOD AND PLEASING TO THE EYE, AND ALSO DESIRABLE FOR GAINING WISDOM, SHE TOOK SOME AND ATE IT. SHE ALSO GAVE SOME TO HER HUSBAND, WHO WAS WITH HER, AND HE ATE IT.

DEUTERONOMY 6:6-8 THESE COMMANDMENTS THAT I GIVE YOU TODAY ARE TO BE UPON YOUR HEARTS. IMPRESS THEM ON YOUR CHILDREN. TALK ABOUT THEM WHEN YOU SIT AT HOME AND WHEN YOU WALK ALONG THE ROAD, WHEN YOU LIE DOWN AND WHEN YOU GET UP. TIE THEM AS SYMBOLS ON YOUR HANDS AND BIND THEM ON YOUR FOREHEADS.

NEHEMIAH 4:14 DON'T BE AFRAID OF THEM. REMEMBER THE LORD, WHO IS GREAT AND AWESOME, AND FIGHT FOR YOUR BROTHERS, YOUR SONS AND YOUR DAUGHTERS, YOUR WIVES AND YOUR HOMES.

MATTHEW 5:9 "BLESSED ARE THE PEACEMAKERS, FOR THEY WILL BE CALLED SONS OF GOD."

JOSHUA 24:14-15 NOW FEAR THE LORD AND SERVE HIM WITH ALL FAITHFULNESS. THROW AWAY THE GODS YOUR FOREFATHERS WORSHIPED BEYOND THE RIVER AND IN EGYPT, AND SERVE THE LORD. BUT IF SERVING THE LORD SEEMS UNDESIRABLE TO YOU, THEN CHOOSE FOR YOURSELVES THIS DAY WHOM YOU WILL SERVE, WHETHER THE GODS YOUR FOREFATHERS SERVED BEYOND THE RIVER, OR THE GODS OF THE AMORITES, IN WHOSE LAND YOU ARE LIVING. BUT AS FOR ME AND MY HOUSEHOLD, WE WILL SERVE THE LORD.

DEUTERONOMY 30:11,15,19-20 NOW WHAT I AM COMMANDING YOU TODAY IS NOT TOO DIFFICULT FOR YOU OR BEYOND YOUR REACH... SEE, I SET BEFORE YOU TODAY LIFE AND PROSPERITY, DEATH AND DESTRUCTION... THIS DAY I CALL HEAVEN AND EARTH AS WITNESSES AGAINST YOU THAT I HAVE SET BEFORE YOU LIFE AND DEATH, BLESSINGS

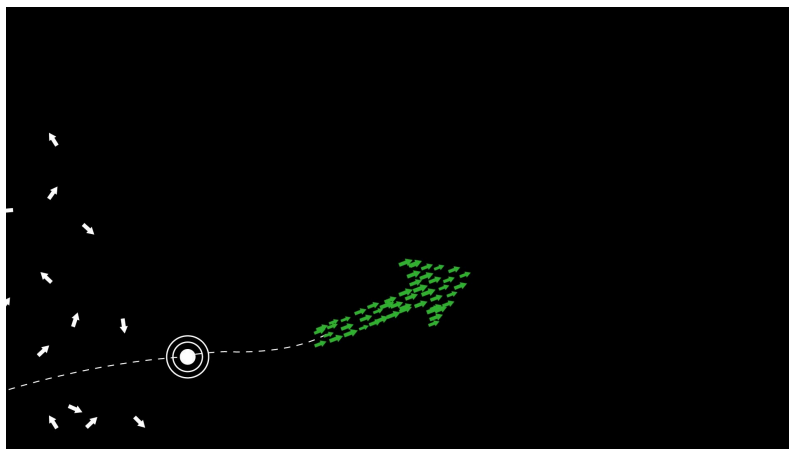
AND CURSES. **NOW CHOOSE LIFE, SO THAT YOU AND YOUR CHILDREN MAY LIVE** AND THAT YOU MAY LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD, LISTEN TO HIS VOICE, AND HOLD FAST TO HIM. FOR THE LORD IS YOUR LIFE.

EXODUS 12:3,6-7,11,26-27 TELL THE WHOLE COMMUNITY OF ISRAEL THAT ON THE TENTH DAY OF THIS MONTH **EACH MAN IS TO TAKE A LAMB FOR HIS FAMILY, ONE FOR EACH HOUSEHOLD...** **TAKE CARE OF THEM** UNTIL THE FOURTEENTH DAY OF THE MONTH, WHEN ALL THE PEOPLE OF THE COMMUNITY OF ISRAEL MUST SLAUGHTER THEM AT TWILIGHT. THEN THEY ARE TO **TAKE SOME OF THE BLOOD AND PUT IT ON THE SIDES AND TOPS OF THE DOORFRAMES** OF THE HOUSES WHERE THEY EAT THE LAMBS... THIS IS HOW YOU ARE TO EAT IT: **WITH YOUR CLOAK TUCKED INTO YOUR BELT, YOUR SANDALS ON YOUR FEET AND YOUR STAFF IN YOUR HAND.** EAT IT IN HASTE; IT IS THE LORD'S PASSOVER... AND WHEN YOUR CHILDREN ASK YOU, **"WHAT DOES THIS CEREMONY MEAN TO YOU?"** THEN TELL THEM...

1 CORINTHIANS 16:13-14 BE ON YOUR GUARD; STAND FIRM IN THE FAITH; BE MEN OF COURAGE; BE STRONG. DO EVERYTHING IN LOVE.

ROMANS 5:17 FOR IF, BY THE TRESPASS OF THE ONE MAN, DEATH REIGNED THROUGH THAT ONE MAN, HOW MUCH MORE WILL THOSE WHO **RECEIVE GOD'S ABUNDANT PROVISION OF GRACE** AND OF THE **GIFT OF RIGHTEOUSNESS REIGN IN LIFE** THROUGH THE ONE MAN, JESUS CHRIST.

DEUTERONOMY 2:30-31 BUT SIHON KING OF HESHBON REFUSED TO LET US PASS THROUGH. **FOR THE LORD YOUR GOD HAD MADE HIS SPIRIT STUBBORN AND HIS HEART OBSTINATE IN ORDER TO GIVE HIM INTO YOUR HANDS,** AS HE HAS NOW DONE. THE LORD SAID TO ME, "SEE, I HAVE BEGUN TO DELIVER SIHON AND HIS COUNTRY OVER TO YOU. **NOW BEGIN** TO CONQUER AND POSSESS HIS LAND."



1. CHOOSE TO COMMIT TO VALLEY CREEK AS YOUR CHURCH
2. GIVE A SACRIFICIAL FINANCIAL GIFT OVER THE NEXT TWO YEARS ABOVE AND BEYOND YOUR CURRENT TITHES AND OFFERINGS
3. TAKE ONE TANGIBLE NEXT STEP OF FAITH EACH YEAR OVER THE NEXT FIVE YEARS

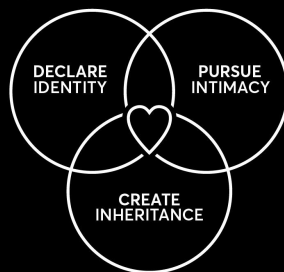
**I AM A BELOVED SON AND
A MIGHTY MAN OF GOD**

**I AM FULLY KNOWN, FULLY LOVED,
WITH NO FEAR OF REJECTION**

**I WAS CREATED TO CREATE THE
FUTURE WITH GOD**

YOU ARE _____

I _____ YOU



I AM CREATING _____ FOR YOU