

IN THE BEGINNING...

A STUDY OF GENESIS

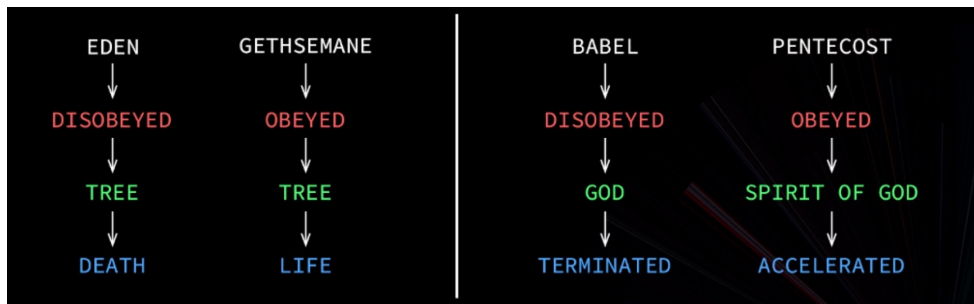
SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

Part 5: Abraham

Pastor Tom Kang

Icebreaker: What was the FIRST concert you ever attended? What was your FAVORITE concert?

1) Discuss the meaning and significance of the following chart:



2) Pastor Tom's sermon was structured on these 3 elements:

The POWER of the call, The PERSONAL Nature of the call, The PRACTICAL Application of the call

Which one of these elements did you connect with? Why?

- 3) The genealogy of Genesis 11 sets the stage for a significant shift in focus from events to individuals. Why do you think God features different individuals in the Bible? What did He show you through the story of Abraham?
- 4) God's call to Abram (later Abraham) in Genesis 12 is characterized by promises of blessing and purpose. How do these promises apply to us today as followers of Christ?
- 5) The sermon emphasizes the personal nature of God's call and the unmerited nature of grace. How does understanding these aspects of God's call impact our relationship with Him and our understanding of salvation?
- 6) Consider the phrase "Abraham obeyed, and he went out, not knowing whither he went" (Hebrews 11:8, KJV). How does Abram's response to God's call to leave everything behind and go to an unknown land inspire you to trust God's guidance in our own lives?
- 7) How might God be calling you to step out in faith and obedience in your life today? Take some time to pray and reflect on this question together as a group.