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Revelation 22:12–13

Evaluate the moments by focusing on the movements.

In the movement of creation, we find God’s intention.

- Genesis 1:26–28

God intended you to represent Him.

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God has a shape for each family and member.

- John 1:18
- 2 Corinthians 4:4
- 1 Peter 1:18–19

God has a place for each family and member.

- Genesis 1:28
- Proverbs 22:6

God has a time for each family and member.

- Acts 17:26
- 1 Chronicles 12:32

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sermon discussion

RECAP THE SERMON

Spend a few minutes discussing the sermon from the weekend. Was there anything new that you learned, anything that confused you or anything that stood out?

GROUP DISCUSSION

1. **Read Genesis 1:26.** Imagine being sent to another country to represent the USA; how would you act? How might being a country's representative compare to being made in God's image?
2. **Read Revelation 22:12–13.** God will evaluate our lives righteously, and as a whole. What do you tend to use to evaluate yourself and your family, and why? *Examples of things people may use are comparison to previous generations, your ideal vision, social media, happiness level, opinions of neighbors, comparison to neighbors, church participation.*
3. **Read Genesis 1:27-28.** In which ways have you seen differences among people (for example gender, personality, talents) reflect unique aspects of God? What does this passage teach us about God's intentions for families and our relationships in regard to imaging God?
4. **Read 2 Corinthians 4:4.** Jesus images God perfectly. What kind of attributes or actions have you seen in your family members, or siblings in Christ at church, that have made the invisible God visible to you?
5. **Read Psalm 139:13-18.** Is it easy or difficult for you to believe that God made you carefully, and wonderfully, and that He thinks innumerable thoughts about you, and why?
6. **Read Genesis 2:15.** Think carefully about the places in which God has placed you. What work (cultivation for growth) or protecting do you think those places need from you? *Examples are the block you live on, where you work, the people who connect with your children, places your family goes.*
7. **Read Proverbs 22:6.** What are some practical steps to take to make your current PLACE and TIME an environment where your children (or other people) are trained up to reflect God?

GOING FURTHER

MEMORIZE: Psalm 139:7 *How precious to me are your thoughts, O God! How vast is the sum of them!*

STUDY: Last spring Pastor Greg led a study of the attributes of God called *The Infinite Quest*. Here is a link to the first one to get you started - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SwqElhAyJkw>