

LESSON 2

TRUE FREEDOM

THE DOUBLE YELLOW LINE

CONCEPTS:

1. THE POWER OF GOD'S SPOKEN WORDS
2. HOW GOD VIEWS MAN
3. LIBERTY, LAWS & CHOICES



In the beginning
God created the heavens
and the earth by His
spoken words.

GENESIS 1:1

1. THE POWER OF GOD'S SPOKEN WORDS

Genesis 1:1-14

Psalms 138:2

Philippians 2:9-10

When God speaks He has all power.

Q: CAN WE COMPARE OUR SPOKEN WORDS TO GOD'S WORDS?



2. HOW GOD VIEWS MAN

Genesis 1:27

"...God created man in **his own image**..."

Creation of man was personal.

Genesis 2:7

*"God formed man of the dust of the ground".
"...and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life;
and man became a living soul".*



The practical term of God creating man in His image, cannot refer to the body or biological form, since God is a Spirit.

John 4:24

Since it seems the body does not belong to the image of God, but to His likeness, the image of God could very well be referring to His mind, language and creativity.

3. LIBERTY, LAWS & CHOICES

John 1:14

"The Word was made flesh"...

Q: WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO UNDERSTAND
THE VALUE OF MAN?



It's by Liberty, Laws & Choices that God's greatest creation can **Truly be Free**.



We become
"Truly Free"
when we make
the right choices.

CREW LIFE STUDIES

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1. THE POWER OF GOD'S SPOKEN WORDS

GOD CREATED BY HIS SPOKEN WORDS

Genesis 1:1-14

"In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth..."

God spoke, and it was so. The entire creation came into existence by His spoken words.

GOD'S WORDS HAVE ALL POWER

Psalms 138:2

"I will worship toward Your holy temple, and praise Your name for Your lovingkindness and Your truth; for You have magnified Your word above all Your name."

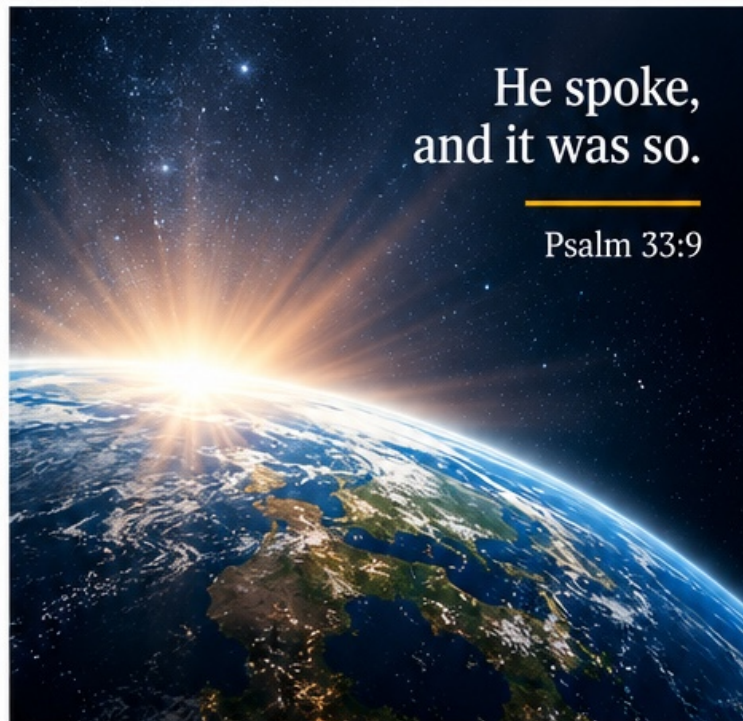
When God speaks, He has all power. His words accomplish what He intends.

THE NAME ABOVE EVERY NAME

Philippians 2:9-10

"Therefore God also has highly exalted Him and given Him the name which is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow...."

The spoken word of God is powerful, creative, and life-giving. The same power that spoke the universe into existence is revealed fully in Jesus.



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and it was so.

Psalm 33:9

OUR WORDS MATTER

While we cannot compare our words to God's, our words do have influence. We are created in His image, and we reflect Him when we speak life, truth, and encouragement to others.

Q: CAN WE COMPARE OUR SPOKEN WORDS TO GOD'S WORDS?



Speak life.
Reflect His image.

Proverbs 18:21

2. HOW GOD VIEWS MAN

CREATED IN GOD'S IMAGE

Genesis 1:27

"So God created man in His own image..."

Man is different from the rest of creation because he was made in the image of God.

THE PERSONAL CREATION OF MAN

Genesis 2:7

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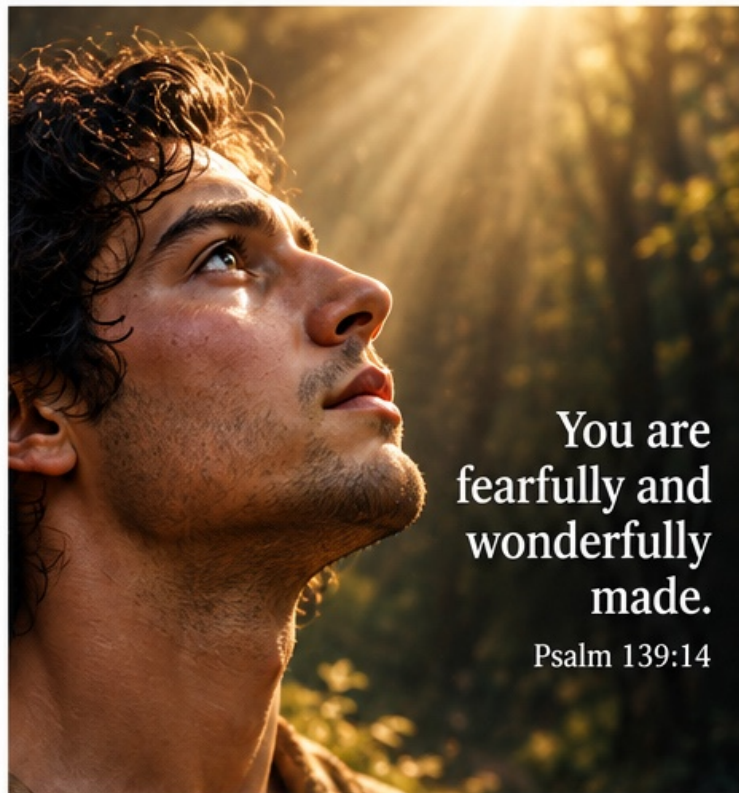
The creation of man was personal. God didn't just speak man into existence; He formed him with His own hands and gave him life.

GOD IS SPIRIT

John 4:24

"God is spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth."

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You are
fearfully and
wonderfully
made.

Psalms 139:14

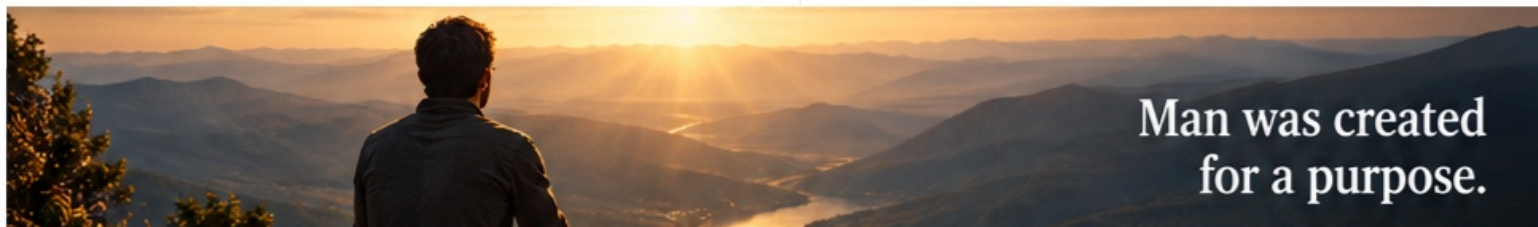
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John 1:14

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Jesus Christ, the living Word, came to earth as a man. This shows the value of humanity and the greatness of God's plan.

Q: WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO UNDERSTAND THE VALUE OF MAN?



Man was created
for a purpose.

3. LIBERTY, LAWS & CHOICES

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Q: WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO UNDERSTAND THE VALUE OF MAN?

Because man is God’s greatest creation. Understanding our value helps us see our purpose, make better choices, and live in the freedom God intended.

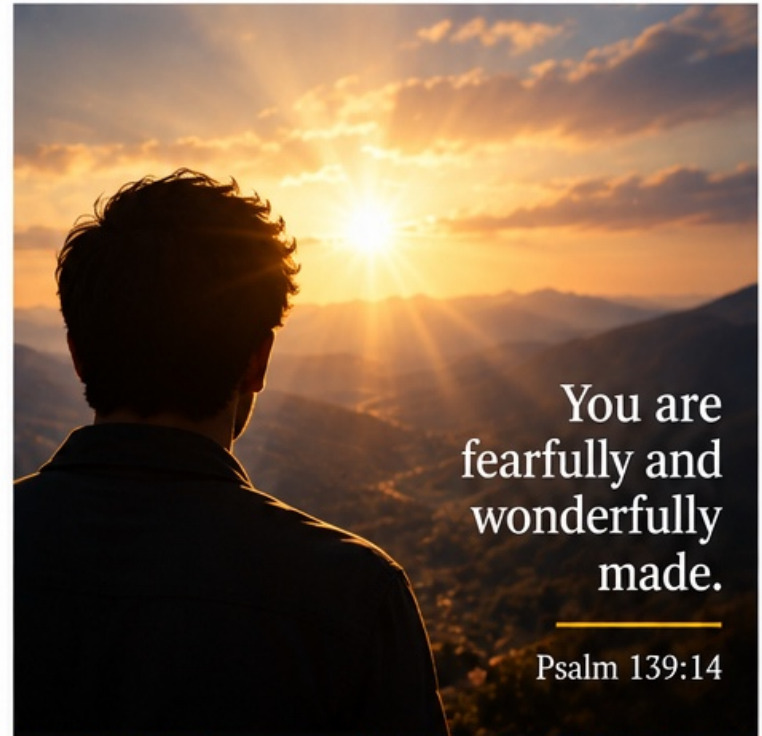
LIBERTY, LAWS & CHOICES

It’s by Liberty, Laws & Choices that God’s greatest creation can Truly be Free.

God gives us liberty to choose, laws to guide us, and the responsibility to make the right choices. True freedom is not the absence of rules, but the ability to choose what is right.

THE DOUBLE YELLOW

We become “Truly Free” when we make the right choices.



Choose Wisely,
Live Freely.

Proverbs 3:5-6