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LOST & FOUND INTRO

No one likes to be lost. There are few things more frustrating than knowing there's a destination out there for you but not being able to reach it. But when you discover your way, there is a flood of relief. You exhale, knowing that you are safe. You have arrived. You are no longer lost. You're found.

Lost and Found will help you see that we experience separation from God because of our sins. But the fantastic news is that our Father stands ready to extend forgiveness and welcome home the lost. But it doesn't stop there. As Christ-followers, our identity is found in the freedom that comes with being found by God through surrendering to God and His ways.

God means for us to be found. It is His great desire. *Lost and Found* will help you understand this. Once you do, your life will never be the same.

HAVE YOU PREPARED FOR THE JOURNEY?

Ask yourself: Is my heart prepared to be challenged? Am I willing to be changed? If you can't answer "yes" to these questions, this journey might not be nearly as spectacular as it could be. If you need to, take a moment and silently talk to God in prayer. Ask God to radically move in your life.

YOU'RE HOLDING THE MAP

This book you're holding is the roadmap for your journey. It will help guide your experiences. Write your name and the date in the front. Hold on to it. You may want to look back and remember this time in your life.

LEARN. AND TEACH.

Keep your eyes and ears open for those valuable moments when God wants to teach you something. But don't miss the chance to teach your friends and to be taught by them. Your friends are with you in this experience. Be open to what God is doing in and through them and how He might be using them to speak to you. And vice versa.

**“FOR WHOEVER
WOULD SAVE HIS
LIFE WILL LOSE IT,
BUT WHOEVER
LOSES HIS LIFE **FOR**
MY SAKE WILL FIND IT.”**

MATTHEW 16:25



LARGE GROUP

These two pages are designed for you to take notes during Large Group Sessions. The stuff you're learning will build on itself over the next few sessions. So even if you're not much of a note-taker, you might want to at least jot down what you think is important.

TRY WRITING DOWN THE FOLLOWING

- Any specific teaching points
- Verse references for Scripture passages
- Quotes that make you think
- Anything you have a question about

NOTES

SESSION 1

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SMALL GROUP **INTRO**

We all have certain expectations about how things are supposed to be.

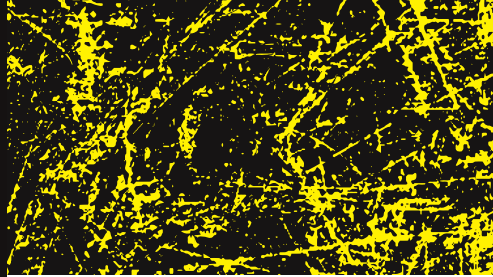
You know where your spot is when you walk into the lunchroom to eat. That's just the way it is.

When you get in your car to drive to school, it's supposed to start up. That's what it's supposed to do.

You have certain rules that govern your home life with your family. When those rules are changed or aren't enforced fairly, you get upset because that's not how it's supposed to work.

As human beings, we function best when our expectations are met and things work like they are supposed to. We get frustrated when they don't. When it comes to our relationship with God, there was a time when everything was functioning like it was supposed to. And then suddenly, it wasn't.

This first session will unpack what happened when everything changed. If you're ready, turn the page.



SESSION 1

GETTING STARTED

What do **YOU** think? Fill in the blanks below to tell the world how things **SHOULD** be.

- Everyone thinks the **BEST FAST-FOOD RESTAURANT** is _____, but I think it should be _____.
- People think the **BEST SINGER/BAND** is _____, but I think it should be _____.
- My family thinks the **PERFECT VACATION** is _____, but I think it's _____.
- My friends love to hang out at _____, but I think the **BEST PLACE TO HANG OUT** is _____.
- Everyone thinks the **BEST MOVIE** is _____, but I think it's _____.
- All my friends think the **BEST TEAM** is _____, but I think it should be _____.
- People think that _____ is the **BEST KIND OF MUSIC**, but I think _____ is.

SESSION 1 ---

DIGGING IN

Work through Genesis 3 with your group and discuss your observations.

PART 1: GENESIS 3:1-5

Record any observations below:

WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA? _____

PART 2: GENESIS 3:6-7

Record any observations below:

WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA? _____

PART 3: GENESIS 3:8-13

Record any observations below:

WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA? _____

PART 4: GENESIS 3:14-21

Record any observations below:

WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA? _____

PART 5: GENESIS 3:22-24

Record any observations below:

WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA? _____

**BEHOLD, THE LORD'S HAND IS NOT SHORTENED,
THAT IT CANNOT SAVE, OR HIS EAR DULL, THAT IT CANNOT HEAR;
BUT YOUR INIQUITIES
HAVE MADE A SEPARATION
BETWEEN YOU AND YOUR GOD,
AND YOUR SINS HAVE HIDDEN HIS FACE
FROM YOU SO THAT HE DOES NOT HEAR.**

ISAIAH 59:1-2

WRAPPING UP

SESSION 1

Read the following verse and work with your group to respond.

**“FOR ALL HAVE SINNED
AND FALL SHORT OF
THE GLORY OF GOD,
AND ARE JUSTIFIED BY HIS GRACE
AS A GIFT,
THROUGH THE REDEMPTION
THAT IS IN
CHRIST JESUS.”**

- ROMANS 3:23-24

**"SO WHEN THE WOMAN SAW
THAT THE TREE WAS GOOD
FOR FOOD,
AND THAT IT WAS A DELIGHT TO THE EYES,
AND THAT THE TREE WAS TO BE DESIRED
TO MAKE ONE WISE,
SHE TOOK OF ITS FRUIT AND ATE,
AND SHE ALSO GAVE
SOME TO HER HUSBAND
WHO WAS WITH HER,
AND HE ATE."**

GENESIS 3:6