

You. Me. We. | God's design for relationships

Last Week

How did you apply last week's lesson on Jesus as Lord? Who did you share the lesson with?

<u>Opener</u>

Recount either a great relationship in your life or a bad relationship in your life (past or present). What factors made the relationship great or bad?

Questions

What are some reasons that people struggle in a marriage? Marriage is a covenant relationship. What's the difference between a covenant vs a contractual relationship?

Mark 12:31, "Love your neighbor as yourself." How do we learn to love ourselves? Why can this be difficult?

In 1 Corinthians, Paul taught us that being Single can be a gift. What are some benefits of being Single and why is hard for many to be Single?

Why do we think people choose divorce as a solution to a turbulent marriage?

Scripture Discovery:

Have yourself, another group member, or all group members read the following Scripture out loud

Ecclesiastes 4:9-12 (NLT)

Two people are better than one, for they can help each other succeed. If one person falls, the other can reach out and help. But someone who falls alone is in real trouble. Likewise, two people lying close together can keep each other warm. But how can one be warm alone? A person standing alone can be attacked and defeated, but two can stand back-to-back and conquer. Three are even better, for a triple-braided cord is not easily broken.

What does this passage tell us about God?

- What does this passage tell us about people?
- How do you need to apply this passage to your life?
- And who are you going to tell?

Pray