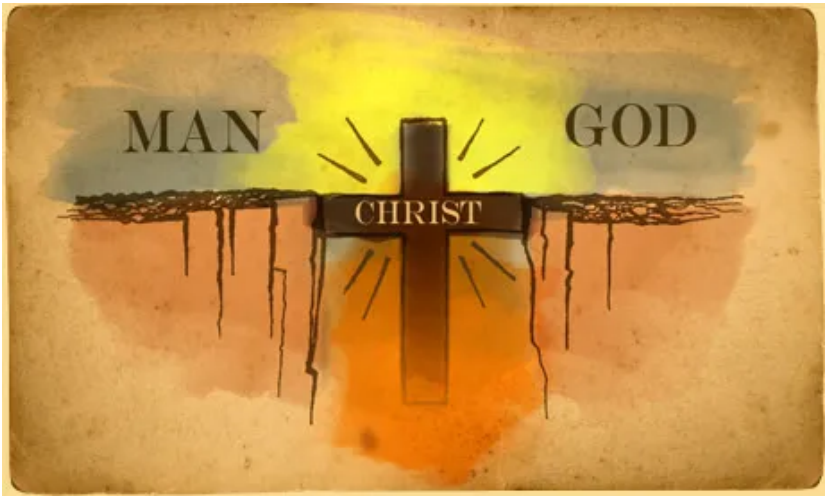
Created to be in Relationship with God

Discovering the purpose for which we have been created...



For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life. More than that, we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

Romans 5:10-11

"Created for Relationship"

Genesis 1:1, 26-27

Critical Concept: God's creation of all things demonstrates His sovereign authority and rule, but His creation of people in His image reveals His unique purpose for a personal relationship with them.

I. God

A. *"In the beginning God ..."*

B. The power of four words

II. God Created

A. *"In the beginning God created ..."*

B. Creation declares God's glory & sovereign rule

C. "God spoke" declares His authoritative Word

III. God Created Us in His Image for Relationship

A. The "imago Dei"

B. Mankind's unique purpose

What is God Saying to Me? (Personal Application)