

PB&J– The Fallout of Sin

Weekend Discussion Questions
October 31 - November 1, 2009

Community:

1. When have you lost something that was important to you? How did you feel when it happened?
2. What possession have you purchased that got broken or tarnished the fastest? How did you respond?

Core:

1. Read Genesis 2:15 – 3:21 out loud to the group and discuss the following:
 - a. Why did God give the command about the tree to Adam before He created Eve?
 - b. What did Scott suggest about God’s motive in having Adam name all the animals before Eve was made?
 - c. Genesis 2:25 says that prior to sin, Adam and Eve were naked and felt no shame. Why is that important?
 - d. Satan rebelled against God first and then attacked His creation. Why does he still fight against God when it is clear he can’t ultimately win?
 - e. Where was Adam and why was he silent when Satan tempted Eve? Why do you think that Satan went after her?
 - f. By covering themselves in shame, Adam and Eve revealed that they had allowed someone other than God to define them. How do you respond to your own sin? Why?
 - g. How does sin continue to impact the relationships between women and men?
2. As you look at the ways you think and live, who or what is defining you? Whose voices are you listening to? How might you start listening more to God?
3. What role does intimacy play in your life? What about shame?
4. God alone has the right to define you. What kinds of things does He say about you in His Word?
5. Read Ephesians 6:10-18 and discuss the battle we are engaged in, the armor God has given us, and the way we should fight together.
6. How did sending Jesus for us communicate God’s desire to restore us and not condemn us?

Challenge:

1. Memorize 2 Corinthians 5:21.
2. Consider how you have been exhausting yourself by covering up your sin. Talk to God about it and pick a good friend to discuss with it too.
3. When you see the magazines in the grocery store or come across other “voices” in our culture, stop and thank God for the way He defines you as His deeply-loved child.



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