



Between Sundays: Reflection Questions & Next Steps

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“God Knows My Purpose”

1. What circumstances or experiences have caused you to stop...and ask...‘why am I here, what is my purpose in life?’

2. Ephesians 2:10 *"For we are God's workmanship created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do."*

Who are you? God's 'work of art, a masterpiece!' Hard to believe? Why is that for you?

What helps you believe God's estimation of you?

3. Figuring out God's Purpose:

Two realities to ponder... What BEAUTY inspires you and stirs you to want to express God's beauty of character and purposes?

It may be art, it could be acts of service that radiate spiritual beauty? What could it be that stirs you to action, to further evidences of God's beauty with others?

What BROKENNESS so unsettles you that you want to be part of bringing God's healing power and saving grace to circumstance?

Is it emotional, family, spiritual brokenness?

4. Paying Attention: pay attention to soul stirrings, explore worlds where beauty and or brokenness exists and see where God's Spirit works through your good works and makes a difference in the lives of others.

Remember, we are not called by God to meet every need, yet we have been given God's Spirit to meet some needs and reveal God's heartbeat and mindset to others. So, explore, experiment, prayerfully evaluate what God is doing through you and take time to celebrate God's power at work in you and through you!

Resource Books: The Purpose Driven Life: Rick Warren

Undaunted: Christine Caine