

# DESIGN

## DESIGN FOR DIGNITY

### DAY ONE:

read **GENESIS 1:26-27**

This passage tells us that God created us in His image. He made us like Himself. Have you ever looked at a family and taken notice how much they resemble each other or their parents? Maybe it isn't even so much that they look like their parents, but maybe it is their laugh, or their mannerisms. In the same way, God designed us to be like Him. We may not know the color of His eyes, but we do know that He loves the people He created. Pray and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal to you the ways in which you resemble our Heavenly Father.

### DAY TWO:

read **PSALMS 139:14-18**

We live in a culture that has nurtured a number of generations with the thoughts that they have come from nothing. Which in turn has cultivated a culture that has no value of human life. This passage clearly tells us that God has put us together and that we are wonderfully made by Him. How does this passage change your perspective? Take some time to pray for our teachers and students. Pray that the Holy Spirit will make a way for the truth of God's design to be known in our schools, work places, government systems and families.

### DAY THREE:

read **PSALMS 100**

Because we know that God has created us in His image and has created us to be an intricate form of life starting with the cell. The cell is known to be the basic structural, functional, and biological unit of all known living organisms. A cell is the smallest unit of life that can replicate independently, and cells are often called the building blocks of life. Take some time today to worship the Creator! Thank Him for creating you, for this time in history. Praise Him for the people He has created to be a part of

your life. Acknowledge that you belong to Him and thank Him that He cares for you.

### DAY FOUR:

read **ISAIAH 49**

Before you were born, God knew you. You have been chosen for this life. Pray and ask the Holy Spirit to lead you forward to fulfill the purpose that God has for you. If you are struggling with thoughts and feelings of being worthless, challenge yourself to look beyond your circumstances and remember that God loves you and you have a destiny in Him. Think deeply about your views on the unborn and the beautiful creation God has made and the way our society finds easy to destroy. Maybe challenge yourself by learning a little more about those that are living in slavery or in undesirable conditions and pray about how you can make a difference in the ministries that help to liberate them. Consider participating in the Justice Run or APPLE Pregnancy Center and journey along side those that are making an impact in our community. Consider getting involved in a group that can help you strengthen your identity in Jesus. Consider attending Pure Design. Get involved in a group that can help you strengthen your identity in Jesus.

### DAY FIVE:

read **JOHN 15:1-5**

When we remain in Jesus and remember that we are an amazing creation, He will strengthen us so that we can help others grow and walk in the same understanding that we have a Creator that loves us and designed us for a reason. Take some time to pray for those around you that need to hear that they are loved and are a beautiful creation. Take a step of faith and share your story with someone who doesn't feel like they are worth anything. Ask the Holy Spirit to open doors for you to share the message of truth about our Creator.

### NEXT STEPS:

*Mere Christianity* by C.S. Lewis

*The Language of God* by Francis S. Collins

*Darwin's Black Box* by Michel Behe

Pure Design Groups

Pick a chapter or two of ***Privileged Planet*** on YouTube

Video Mystery of Life: [http://www.bing.com/videos/search?](http://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=MYSTERY+OF+LIFE&&view=detail&mid=5901D229A970CFB3F1525901D229A970CFB3F152&FORM=VRDGAR)

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