

## DESIGNED BY . . . GOD | GENESIS 1:26-31, 2:15-25

God had a blank canvas. He could do whatever He wanted. The all-powerful, all-knowing, self-sufficient, Creator with the resources, and the intelligence to design whatever He chose. And He began to create. And on the sixth day before He rested, He made humans: man and woman. He designed mankind and the family unit from which every single one of us has come. As we begin this new series there will be a special emphasis on marriage, however we will talk about singleness and our human condition. It will be helpful for those who wish to stand for truth in an age where many reject God's design, and replace it with their own opinions. What do we learn about God's design for mankind, marriage, and family from our passages today?

1. God created man and woman in His own \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
2. God exclaimed that His design was very \_\_\_\_\_, and we as His people should \_\_\_\_\_ His design.
3. God strategically chose to make Eve from Adam to demonstrate the \_\_\_\_\_ He designed between husband and wife.
4. Embedded in God's design for marriage is His design for the \_\_\_\_\_.
5. God's ideal for marriage is that it would be a relationship that honors Him, where a husband and wife relate to each other in \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.