

Memory verse: Jesus said, "Behold, I make all things new."

"Celebrate the Beginning!"
Celebrate! Series
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Revelation 21:5

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What is your Beginning? What you believe about your Beginning will determine how you process many of the questions & challenges of your lifetime.

Mitochondrial Eve & the Beginning.

There is a history before the Beginning & a future after the End.

You were imagines on purpose, destined for a purpose.

Jesus is all that, He holds the key to all things.

Jesus is the Creator.

Jesus is in the business of New Beginnings.

Celebrate your Beginning & discover your destiny.

Make a choice to fulfill your destiny & celebrate!

C3 Group Questions

<u>Last Week's Next Steps:</u> Did you gather at C3 on Sunday to express your faith? Did you build your faith this week through consistent time in prayer & God's Word? If so share what stood out to you in your time with God?

Ice Breaker:

Have you ever taken one of those DNA tests ("23&Me", "Ancestry", etc)?

- If so, what did you learn about yourself?
- Do you think you're formed by nurture (circumstances & relationships growing up) or nature (pre-wired & genetically driven characteristics) or both?

Review:

What one thing stood out to you (either helpful, insightful or troubling) from the weekend's message?

Group Discussion:

What do you believe is your beginning? When did life really start for you?

Do you believe you have a destiny? Were you born by chance or design?

Jesus said, "Behold, I make all things new." As Creator, He makes new things.

- What new thing has He made in you?
- What new thing does He want to make in you?

What does the devil own in your town/area that you can take back for Heaven's sake?

- What good works were you "recreated new in Christ Jesus" to do?

Is it possible that God imagined you, brought you into being, & placed you in Tri-Cities in 2019 for the purpose of redeeming something, or someone, here & now? #GiveLife

How can this group pray for this week? Who in this group can you pray for this week?

This Week's Next Steps: ("Do not merely listen to the word.....Do what it says." James 1:22)

Memorize & reflect on this verse this week: Jesus said, "Behold, I make all things new." Revelation 21:5