

## How God Made a Man Gen 2:5-9, 1 Timothy 2:13

Kickoff: What are your responsibilities? When the timer starts you will have 3 minutes to make a list of all the things for which you consider yourself responsible.

## Man was created:

- With a <u>relationship</u> and <u>responsibility</u> to God.
  - o Man is <u>spiritual</u> (Gen. 2:7).
  - o Man is <u>purposeful</u> (Gen 2:8, 15-16).
- With a <u>relationship</u> and <u>responsibility</u> to work the world (Gen. 2:8, 15-16).
- With a <u>relationship</u> and <u>responsibility</u> for his family (Gen. 2:18-24).
  - Who did Satan speak to before the sin? (Gen. 3:1-7)
  - Who did God speak to after the sin? (Gen. 3:8-9).
    - The woman was deceived, but Adam just did it despite what God said.
- Without God man has no <u>plan</u>, <u>purpose</u> or <u>place</u>.
- Without a responsible man the world is unfruitful.
- Without a responsible man the woman is not helpful.
- Without a responsible man the family is unstable.

## Round Table:

- Share 1 of your devotional times from the previous week.
- Try to quote last week's memory verse (2 Tim. 3:16-17)
- How have men in our culture become irresponsible in light of tonight's Scripture; namely becoming irresponsible:
  - o In their relationship to God?
  - o In their relationship to work the world?
  - o In their relationship to women/wives?
- According to the Scripture, how do you neglect your spiritual nature if all you do is work, rest, and play everyday?
  - Adam needed God's Word from day 1 to give him direction for his life. What happens to a man when he neglects daily time in the Word of God?
    - What/who becomes the authority in his life?
    - How does it affect his sense of responsibility?
- How does daily time in the Word make man a more responsible:
  - O Worker in the world?
  - o Husband/dad/friend for others?
  - o In his church?
- What are your takeways from tonight?

Memory Verse: Genesis 2:7

## Scripture Readings:

- Gen. 1:26-31
- Gen. 2:1-3 AND Exo 20:8-11
- Gen. 2:4-9
- Gen. 2:15-17
- Gen. 2:18-25