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NALL GROUP GUIDE

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How Curiosity and Questions Lead to Understanding God's Call for Women

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- 1. Take a moment and discuss suitable and helper. As separate ideas, what do they mean to you? How about them together?
- 2. What did you grow up thinking was the role of women?
- 3. Who has influenced how you think about women?
- 4. Did you also grow up wondering if God preferred men?
- 5. Has your experience as a woman been more of a Genesis 2 (cocreating and co- missioning alongside men) or a Genesis 3 experience (one gender ruling over another)?

WEEK 2: READ CHAPTERS 4-6 discuss

1. What is the difference to you between authority and influence?

- 2. What lies about women you struggle with believing?
- 3. How did Jesus recognize the dignity of women?
- 4. What rules of engagement do you think Jesus would ignore today?
- 5. Who are some living ezer examples in your life?
- 6. What activities were the early church women engaged in?

WEEK 3: Read chapters 7-9

discuss

- 1. Historically, what have been your feelings toward Paul's teaching?
- 2. What are some ways Paul went against his patriarchal society?
- 3. Describe a time when you were an ezer, or help, to a friend.
- 4. What differences have you noticed between men and women?



- 1. When does self-sufficiency end for you and asking God for help begin?
- 2. What barriers do you see to women and men co-missioning?
- 3. How have you experienced women coming for you?
- 4. When is a time you've battled for another woman?

WEEK 5: READ CHAPTERS 13-15 discuss

- 1. When in your marriage have you experienced intimacy as it was designed?
- 2. Are we made in the image of a male God?
- 3. Who has been invitational toward you?
- 4. When was a time that an invitation was noticeably lacking?
- 5. Who do you sense God asking you to invite to your table?

WEEK 6: Read Chapters 16-18

discuss

- 1. What are some biblical examples of invitation?
- 2. What is your comfort level with people who are different from you?
- 3. What are some signs you may be unhealthy? How do you rest?
- 4. Describe a season in your life that you spent in the desert. How did God meet you there?
- 5. What expectations do you place on yourself that you sense God isn't asking of you?

WEEK 7: READ CHAPTERS 19-21 discuss

- 1. Who is an example of a heroine in your life?
- 2. What makes you feel like a heroine?
- 3. When was a time you went to God feeling rejected?
- 4. Who is someone who really sees you?
- 5. When was a time God stretched your faith frame?

WEEK 8: Read chapters 22-24

discuss

- 1. What do you think God is saying to you when you are caught in your worst moment?
- 2. Where are your pig bones?
- 3. What questions do you have for God?
- 4. How do you experience Jesus' personality?
- 5. What examples or testimonies have shaped what you believe women can accom- plish for the kingdom?

WEEK 9: Read Chapters 25-27

discuss

- 1. When was the last time you experienced a kairos moment?
- 2. What makes you say no to God?
- 3. What is your relationship with vulnerability like?
- 4. What does someone have to know about you to know you well?
- 5. What is something you felt called to do that others didn't understand?
- 6. If Jesus was a three-miles-per-hour mover, what is your pace in comparison?