

# LIKENESS & LOWLINESS

Genesis 1:26-31

**1**

AS IMAGE, WE ARE DEPENDENT UPON GOD (EXISTENCE)

**2**

AS IMAGE, WE ARE DEFINED BY GOD (IDENTITY)

**3**

AS IMAGE, WE ARE BOUND TO GOD (FELLOWSHIP)

## QUESTIONS FOR FAMILY WORSHIP

1. Why must we begin with creation instead of the fall when pursuing humility?
2. In what ways are we dependent upon God? What are some ways we often live as if we are not dependent upon Him?
3. Where does our culture tell us to look for our identity and purpose? Why is it wrong to pursue our identity in ourselves or some other created person or thing?
4. How does fellowship with God lead to humility? How does humility lead to fellowship with God?
5. How does Christ in His incarnation show forth perfect lowliness of spirit?

## QUESTIONS FOR PRIVATE REFLECTION

1. What are some things I boast in as if I have not received them from God (see 1 Cor. 4:7)?
2. Who or what defines me?
3. Do I merely know *about* God, or do I really *know* God?
4. Do I hunger after deeper fellowship with God? What does this say about my humility or lack thereof?