## **Grace Bible Chapel**

Grace Women's Study – Lesson One Tuesday, Feb 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025

# Gen 1 & 2 - Created for God's Glory

Genesis 1:26-27; 31 – "Then God said, 'Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness'... God created man in His own image, in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them... God saw all that He had made, and behold, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day."

**Genesis 2:18** – "Then the Lord God said, 'It is not good for the man to be alone; I will make him a helper suitable for him.'"

Introduction:	
•	Position – The Image of God in Women: (Gen 1:26-31)
•	Purpose – A Helper that Completes, not Competes: (Gen 2:18-20)
•	Partnership – The Marriage Covenant: (Gen 2:21-25)
•	Praise – Created for God's Glory: (Gen 1:31)
Conclu	rsion:

#### Reflection Questions:

- 1. How does knowing you are made in God's image affect the way you see your worth and purpose?
- 2. In what ways can you embrace your role as an Ezer (helper) in your current season of life?
- 3. How does understanding God's design for women shape your relationships in the home, church, and community?
- 4. Are there cultural messages about womanhood that you need to reject in light of God's truth?
- 5. What steps can you take to grow in glorifying God through your unique calling as a woman?

#### **NOTES**:

### **Helper vs. Harmer – (Susan Hunt)**

- Ex 18:4 Defends vs. attacks.
- **Ps 10:14** Sees and cares for the oppressed vs. being indifferent.
- **Ps 20:2** Supports rather than weakens.
- Ps 33:20 Shields and protects vs. leaving others unprotected.
- **Ps 70:5** Delivers from distress vs. causing distress.
- Ps 72:12-14 Rescues the poor and needy vs. ignoring them.
- **Ps 86:17** Comforts rather than causing discomfort.