

SEEDS

SEEDS - "What God Sees in Every Human Life"

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WORSHIP (15 MINS)

Venue: Home gatherings

Sing one or two songs or play a song from You Tube.

Venue: Public place (school, café, park, etc.) or Via Online,

Testimonies: "What is your "high" or "your "low" this past week?"

Ask someone to do the opening prayer.

WELCOME (10 MINS)

Welcome guests/first-time visitors.

Ice-breaker: What do you want most in life success, recognition, comfort, happiness, security... world peace? What are your top three and why?

WORD(30-45 MINS)

Main Text: Read John 12:23-26 (NIV)

Intro: No one knows our best purpose or the outcome of our lives better than the Lord. He alone sees beyond, what we can become. In God's perspective, our lives aren't just about existence but fruitfulness and eternal impact. When our lives are surrendered and sown into God's divine plan, He brings them to fulfillment. Jesus, at the point of His own death, used the image of a seed, small and insignificant to reveal heaven's perspective on life. God sees not only where we are right now. He sees our purpose, our potential, and our impact when our lives are fully surrendered to Him.

1. God Understands Our Purpose

Q: What is Purpose?

Purpose is the original intent in the mind of the Creator, the reason something exists and the goal for which it was made.

Jesus knew His purpose: to glorify God by dying and rising again. He used the example of a seed to show that real life and growth come through surrender. Just like a seed must be buried to grow into a plant, Jesus gave His life so others could live. He is the seed, and we're invited to follow His example by laying down our own plans so God can grow something beautiful through us. Just like a farmer knows where to plant for the best harvest, God knows exactly where our lives will make the biggest impact. Even when we don't see the full picture, He knows why we're here and what we're made for.

Q: What does it mean for you to believe that God understands our purpose better than you do?

Q: Can you think of a time when life felt confusing or hard, but later you saw how God was using it for something good?

2. God Recognizes Our Potential

God knows what we're capable of accomplishing in life not just what we can do now, but who we can become when we fully surrender our lives to Him. He sees the gifts, talents, and character inside us that can grow and flourish through His grace.

Jesus used the image of a seed to show this truth. A seed may look small and lifeless, but when it's buried in the ground, it "dies," grows and eventually produces a harvest. That "death" isn't destruction, but surrender. It's letting go of control so that something greater can grow. In God's Kingdom, the way to real life and fruitfulness often looks like letting go. Life comes through death; fruit comes through surrender.

Q: What is one area I need to surrender to God so He can bring fruit from it?

Q: What are some "buried" areas in our lives right now that God might be developing us?

3. God Sees the Impact of a Life Lived According to His Design

God already sees the ripple effect of a life lived according to His will. When we surrender our selfish desires, ambitions and plans and surrender everything to

the Lord, we then understand our purpose and fully realize our potential. Growth and multiplication takes place, and our lives influence others for God and therefore advance His Kingdom.

Q: How could the choices we make today help or influence someone else later on?

Q: What does it mean to live a life surrendered to the plan of God in helping others know and follow Jesus?

Reflection:

1. What's one part of our lives we need to let go of and trust God with?

2. How could God use your story even the difficult times help someone be encouraged?

Conclusion:

God doesn't just see who we are right now, He sees who we're growing into. Even when we do not understand every situation we are going through, He already knows how to bring us to the fulfillment of His plans and purpose for our lives.

Jesus used the example of a seed: when it dies, it doesn't disappear, instead it grows and multiplies. In the same way, when we let go of our own plans and trust God to work His purpose, our lives become fruitful.

Only God can truly fulfill us. His presence and direction lead us to a life that matters. Jesus showed this by giving His life as a sacrifice and through that surrender, He brought salvation to the world. That same principle applies to us: when we surrender to God, He uses our lives to bless others.

When the Lord sees our lives, He sees masterpieces in the making. God doesn't just see the mistakes and flaws of a person, He sees the potential that He can bring to fulfillment in that life that will impact many.

WORK(15 MINS)

Application

1. Find a partner. Ask what you can pray for him/her then pray for each other.

2. Pray and prepare a Hit List (max. of 5-10 names of family, relatives, friends, schoolmates, workmates, neighbors, etc.) of possible people you desire to invite in the next life group gathering.

What is your take-away from this lesson? Closing Prayer