

THE LIES WE BELIEVE AND THE TRUTH WE FORGET



READ OUTLOUD

Yet you, Lord, are our Father. We are the clay, you are the potter; we are all the work of your hand.

Isaiah 64:8

TYPES OF LOVE

1) Why did you make me like this, *because I wish I was different*.

2) Why did you make me like this, *I truly want to know what my purpose is.*

LIE: WE ARE MADE TO BE LIKE EVERYONE ELSE.

<u>TRUTH: WE ARE</u> <u>UNIQUELY MADE FOR A</u> <u>PURPOSE</u>

"Why did you make me like this?" Pastor Graham said there are two ways to ask this question. Which one do you as the most?







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READ Romans 9:20-21

- 1. What is your response to these verses?
- 2. If you believe that God is the potter, what do you think that means?
- 3. Why do you think Paul distinguishes between vessels for extraordinary and ordinary use?
- 4. When Graham shared the story about the potter putting his thumbprint in the finished product, how does that help you understand God's posture towards you?



We recommend that you close your time in prayer. We know that group prayer is only for some. However, we encourage it as a good practice for anyone wanting to r**eceive God's unique purpose for your life.**

This acronym is a helpful way to take what we have talked to each other about and talk to God about it. Take a few moments to pray as a Group using this guide to help you.

P = PRAISE GOD OR THANK HIM

Thank God for the ways He has made you unlike anyone else.

R = REPENT OR ACKNOWLEDGE PERSONAL FAULT

Admit or confess where you've questioned that he made you good.

A = ASK GOD FOR HELP

Name something specific you would like God's help with.

Y = YIELD OR SURRENDER

Give God pieces of your personality that you've struggled to celebrate or understand.