









**WEEKEND RECAP DISCUSSION GUIDE - JAN. 19-22**



<b>SERIES &amp; TITLE</b>	<i>Intervention: Discovering How Much God Loves You - Week 2: Shallow Relationships</i>
 <b>BIG IDEA</b>	Relationships thrive on proximity and commitment.
 <b>ICE BREAKER</b>	Think about it: What's the longest you've ever gone without talking to another human being? What's the longest you've gone without seeing another human being?
 <b>DISCUSS</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Why do you think God created us to do life together?</li><li>2. What do you think has led to the loneliness epidemic in our culture today? What is the antidote?</li><li>3. What does it mean that human beings are created in the image of God? If you thought about this more often how would it change how you see and interact with people?</li><li>4. Pastor Cal said, "When you invest in people, people invest in you." Who are you investing in?</li></ol>
 <b>FOR STUDENTS</b>	Pastor Cal mentioned some of the many reasons and ways people destroy relationships. What do you think are the most common and why?
 <b>CHALLENGE</b>	Commit to seeing people as image bearers of God and if you're not in a group - join one at <a href="http://www.CentralAZ.com/groups">www.CentralAZ.com/groups</a>
 <b>SCRIPTURE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Genesis 2:18 The Lord God said, "It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a helper suitable for him."</li><li>● Malachi 2:10 Do we not all have one Father? Did not one God create us? Why do we profane the covenant of our ancestors by being unfaithful to one another?</li><li>● Matthew 5:23-24 Therefore, if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother or sister has something against you, leave your gift there in front of the altar. First go and be reconciled to them; then come and offer your gift.</li></ul>
 <b>PRAYER</b>	Father God, I thank you for the beauty of your world and of nature - for the trees, lakes and sunsets. But God more than that may I see people like you seen them and act justly. Father, may I be a person who invests my life in others. Amen.
 <b>NEXT WEEK SNEAK PEAK</b>	Next week we continue in our series looking at the Book of Malachi and how God wants more for us - especially in our worship!

