
LET'S TALK ABOUT IT

1. When you were young, what messages did you hear about God?
2. In which area of life (money, job, dating, etc.) have you wrestled the most between what God might want and what you want?
3. Is it tough for you to be honest with God? If so, in what ways?
4. Are the fruits of the Spirit (love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control) desirable qualities for you? Why or why not?
5. What is your current picture of what it looks like to win with God?

What else does this craving, and helplessness, proclaim but that there was once in man a true happiness, of which all that now remains is the empty print and trace.

This he tries in vain to fill with everything around him, seeking in things that are not there the help he cannot find in those that are, though none can help, since this infinite abyss can be filled only with an infinite and immutable object; in other words by God himself.

—BLAISE PASCAL