

EPISODE 12: ADVENT SERIES "BELOVED"

Group Owestions

- 1. GOD GOES TO GREAT LENGTHS TO EXPERIENCE RELATIONSHIP WITH US, WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU CAN DO IN THIS SEASON OF ADVENT TO BE OPEN TO HIM IN A GREATER WAY?
- 2. WHAT VOICES IN THE WORLD MAKE IT DIFFICULT FOR YOU TO HEAR GOD'S VOICE?
- 3. HOW DID YOU FEEL WHEN SR. MIRIAM SAID, "JESUS CHRIST IS NOT INDIFFERENT TO YOU, HE'S NOT JUST TOLERATING YOU, HIS HEART ACHES FOR YOU. YOU ARE BELOVED TO HIM"?

Journal Questions

- 1. WHAT IS IN ME THAT IS BLOCKING GOD'S LOVE FOR ME AND BELIEVING THAT I'M BELOVED?
- 2. WHAT DO I BELIEVE ABOUT WHO GOD IS? DO I BELIEVE HE IS MORE LIKE A POLICE OFFICER, TASK MASTER, OR GENIE? DO I KNOW DEEP DOWN HE DESIRES A DEEP RELATIONSHIP WITH ME?

Quote to Ponder

"SELF-REJECTION IS THE GREATEST ENEMY OF THE SPIRITUAL LIFE BECAUSE IT CONTRADICTS THE SACRED VOICE THAT CALL US THE "BELOVED". BEING THE BELOVED EXPRESSES THE CORE TRUTH OF OUR EXISTENCE." - HENRI NOUWEN