

## LEAH DARROW: You Were Made For More

### QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION:

1. Share your initial thoughts on the video. What struck you? What resonated with you? What challenged your view of reality?
2. *"You were made for more."* Leah felt God's call through this message, and she made a drastic change in her life. God calls each of us to become our best selves – He calls us to be Saints. He created each of us with a unique mission in life, and equipped us for it with unique gifts, talents and desires. This mission is the "more" that we are created for. Why is it sometimes hard for us to hear this call in our own lives? What holds us back from exploring and embracing the "more" that God may be calling us to?
3. *"Put God First, and Everything Else Will Fall into Place."* Leah speaks of the importance of placing the relationships in our lives in the right order, with all relationships coming second to our relationship with God.
  - Why can it sometimes be a challenge to put God first in our lives?
  - What does putting God first in our lives look like? Reflect on what goes into nurturing the primary relationships in your lives (family, friends, significant other etc). How could we apply these same principles to our relationship with God?
4. Share your initial reaction to Leah's interpretation of Michelangelo's Painting of *"The Creation of Adam"*? What does it say to you about God the Father, Eve the daughter, and her relation to Adam? How does this reality translate into the reality of your life? Does Leah's interpretation align with your view of God, of yourself, and of His approach to You as His daughter?
5. *"The world wants us to believe that we are the problem and that the world is the solution."* Where do we seek validation of our identity/self-worth in the world? Who do we turn to for affirmation that we are "somebody"? Was there ever a time when you made decisions against your better judgment out of fear of being labeled a "nobody"? What does seeking our identity and worth in Christ look like? How will it influence the way we live out our purpose and mission in life?

# Come. Be. BECOME

*"Be who you were created to be, and you will set the world on fire."*



## GOING DEEPER. (FOR PERSONAL REFLECTION)

Leah mentioned that as women we have a unique capacity of becoming a space for another. A great Saint and Doctor of the Church Edith Stein once said: "The woman's soul is fashioned as a shelter in which other souls may unfold." How does this statement resonate with you? What are the ways in which a woman can become a shelter to others, figuratively and literally? Have you ever found shelter in the soul of another woman?

## LIVE IT – WEEKLY CHALLENGE

Take some time this week to be silent in the presence of God. Invite the Holy Spirit to reveal to you the areas of your life where God may be saying "you were made for more." Make a plan for "putting God first," and allow Him to guide you to the "more" that He created you for.

## EXTRA RESOURCES:

Book by Leah Darrow	The Other Side of Beauty <a href="https://amzn.to/2HCi8go">https://amzn.to/2HCi8go</a>
Painting by Michelangelo (Sistine Chapel)	The Creation of Adam <a href="https://bit.ly/2WkJ64x">https://bit.ly/2WkJ64x</a>
Quote	<i>"Put God First, and Everything Else Will Fall into Place"</i>
Article by Serviam Ministries	The Habit of Putting God First <a href="https://bit.ly/2WoAbyN">https://bit.ly/2WoAbyN</a>
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