

Small Group Discussion Questions
Epic Journey #2- Adams Big Mistake

- 1) The Bible clearly distinguishes between all of creation and Adam and Eve.
What are some of the ways in which God made Adam and Eve different from the rest of his creation?

- 2) Try to imagine what life in the garden must have been like pre-sin...
 - a) What are some of the biggest ways that your current life would change if you were living in perfect communion with God?

- 3) Read Genesis 3:5. Here we are told the words of the serpent to Eve as he deceived her into doing the one thing she and Adam were commanded not to do.
 - a) What do you notice about the words of the serpent?
 - b) Where was he lying and where was he, in fact, being truthful?

- 4) What does the serpent's "style" of deception tell us about how Satan may currently attempt to lead us away from God?
 - a) Have you noticed this in your life?

- 5) Read Genesis 3:11. Here we read God's words to Adam after he has disobeyed God.
 - a) What, do you think, were God's intentions of asking Adam if he had eaten of the forbidden tree even though he already knew?

- 6) Where in our own lives do we see the shame that Adam and Eve experienced in realizing their nakedness?
 - a) Was their shame founded? Is ours?

- 7) Why do you think God would rather have his children open their lives to him, even though they are messy, rather than try to hide the mess?

- 8) What can God begin to do in us as we trust in him and live our lives openly and honestly in front of him?