

True Identity: Hosea - I Am The Wounded Faithful

Have You Ever Played The "What If..." Game?

- It's a historical game of second-guessing...
 - Ourselves
 - Others
 - God

Who Am I When I'm Where I Don't Want To Be? - Hosea 1:2-3, NLT.
Understanding the Book of Hosea

Who Am I?

- I am the Beloved of God

Your Life Is Not Your Own - Luke 9:23-26, ESV

Identity Hijackers

- Ignorance - *Hosea 4:6, ESV*
- False Pursuits - *Hosea 7:14, ESV*
- Spiritual Amnesia - *Hosea 8:14, ESV*

God Is Still In Control - Ephesians 1:11-12, NLT
- How are you viewing God? - *Hosea 11:4, ESV*

When Things Are Wrong, Repent To Make Things Right - Hosea 14:9, ESV

What Is My Purpose?

- To receive the blessings of God that are accomplishing the purposes of God.
 - I am God's workmanship - *Ephesians 2:10, ESV*

Love Jesus Most

- Love is a practice of directing our affection and our action toward what is most worthy.

Questions To Consider:

- *What about your life is a mystery to you? What is a disappointment to you?*
- *What part is God playing in the story you are telling yourself and others?*
 - *What does faith look like for you in the place you find yourself?*
- *What will it take for you to believe you are the Beloved of God and how will you live once you do?*

Who I Am Flows From Jesus, The Great I AM.