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## W O R S H I P C E N T E R

### **“The Relationship God Wants Part 2” Reflection Questions 2/08/2026**

1. Have there been times in your Christian life when you were more focused on the vessel (cultural, ethnic, theological) that delivered the message than you were focused on the message itself?
2. Regarding our relationship with God, how would you answer this question: “What did God lose when Adam and Eve fell in the Garden of Eden?” Where in the Bible can we point to answers to this question?
3. In Matthew 5:48, Jesus says, “Be perfect, therefore, as your heavenly Father is perfect.” Is the word “perfect” in this verse referring to being morally flawless or something else? Compare the context of Luke 6:36.
4. In the statement: “God shows up for others in your strength, but He shows up for you in your weakness,” how does this statement challenge common ideas about success, competence, or self-sufficiency in our walk with God?
5. What is the difference between saying, “The Lord makes me strong” versus “The Lord is my strength”?
6. In the statement: “Fallen humanity reveals dimensions of God’s mercy that would otherwise have remained unknown,” what aspects of God’s mercy do you think become visible only in response to human brokenness or failure?
7. 1 John 3:2 says, “it has not yet been revealed what we shall be, but we know that when He is revealed, we shall be like Him.” Does this verse telling us that our true identity is defined by looking forward or by looking backward?
8. In the statement: “God does not judge you for being unfinished, but He does call you to respond to the grace that will transform you,” in what ways might someone resist responding to grace, even while believing in it?
9. Tom Brady holds several undesirable NFL records while at the same time winning more Super Bowls than any other player. How does this ironic example relate to our Christian walk with the Lord?
10. Discuss this statement: “When you look back on your life and see a trail of mistakes, that trail isn’t proof you’re disqualified, it’s proof that you’ve stayed in the fight.”