



SERMON DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

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1. Did you grow up with the Christian Calendar and seasons like Advent? If not, when did you start paying attention to the calendar?

2. Advent is a season of waiting. Do you consider yourself a naturally patient person?

Read Genesis 1:1

3. What is the significance of God creating at the beginning?

4. Why is it important for us to focus on the goodness of creation in Genesis 1 and 2 before things go horribly wrong in Genesis 3?

5. What are the inherent problems with trying to become like God *apart* from God?

Read Genesis 3:15

6. If we read this verse in light of the coming of Jesus, how does it reveal the gospel to us?

Read Galatians 4:4-5

7. Describe a time when you have experienced grace in the waiting.

8. Why was it necessary for Jesus to be born of a woman?

Read Revelation 12:9-12

9. What hope do we find in the reality that the devil's time is short and that evil is not eternal?

10. We overcome by the blood of the Lamb and the word of our testimony. How would you sum up your testimony of the grace of God at work in your life?