## THE BEAUTY TO LOVE

Beauty is mysterious as well as terrible ... God and the Devil are fight there, and the battlefield is the heart of man. - Fyodor Dostoyevsky

The Lord God said, "It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a <u>helper</u> suitable for him."- Genesis 2.18

Ezer means phenomenal together or life savior

But for Adam no suitable helper was found. So the Lord God caused the man to fall into a deep sleep; and while he was sleeping, he took one of the man's ribs and then closed up the place with flesh. Then the Lord God made a woman from the rib he had taken out of the man, and he brought her to the man. - Genesis 2.20b-22

"The <u>naked woman's body</u> is a portion of eternity too great for the eye of man." - William Blake

From the very beginning of time, we have been as men captivated by eve's beauty.

Eve's Life Questions Are

- Do you see me?
- Will you <u>purse</u> me?
- Will you <u>fight</u> for me?
- Do you <u>delight</u> in me?

## **Round One Questions**

One of the <u>greatest adventures</u> in our life will be attempting to captivate the heart of our beauty. At the same time one of our

greatest battles will be to keep and treasure the heart of our beauty.

Our beauty carries wounds and vows, just as we do.

We must fight for the right to know her story, her wounds, her vows to herself.

"For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost." - Luke 10

"Every woman doesn't need <u>a man</u> to be complete, but every woman does desire to <u>be loved</u>, <u>romanced</u>, and part of a shared adventure" - John Eldridge

## **Round Two Questions**

A man's worse fear is failure.

A woman's worse fear is abandonment.

"The tongue has the power of life and death" - Proverbs 18.21a

"I want to look like a knight, but I don't want to bleed like one." -John Eldridge

Our beauty needs us to be a lover and a warrior.

A man doesn't go to a woman to receive strength, he goes to her to offer it.

Ephesians 5.21-33

"Adam and his wife were both naked, and they felt no shame." - Genesis 2.25

We must <u>delight in</u> what our beauty <u>delights in.</u>

## **Round Three Questions**