

Beyond My Gender

Genesis 5:1-2

BEYOND

What Are Little Girls Made of?

Sugar and spice,
And everything nice,
That's what little girls are made of.

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What Are Little Boys Made of?

Frogs and snails
And puppy-dogs' tails,
That's what little boys are made of

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When God created man, he made him in the likeness of God. Male and Female he created them, and he blessed them and named them MAN when they were created.

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There are two key statements and two key directions for us to explore this morning on the topic of gender.

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Key Statement One!

God created man in the image and likeness of God.

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Key Statement Two:

God created MAN as male and female!

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Key Direction One!

The words image and likeness are important for understanding the roles of men and women because of what they say about the nature of the human race!

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Key Direction Two!

The words male and female indicate God made us this way for a purpose!

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Tying it Together!

The human race was created to be God's designated ruler over His creation. In order to do this, they had to be created in this way.

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Tying it Together!

When sin entered the human race, it tarnished both the delegation of government over creation and the ability of mankind to exercise dominion.

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Tying it Together!

It took a second ADAM, who will be connected to a heavenly and spotless bride (the church) to restore and bring under the government of God the dominion of God's physical creation.

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Tying it Together!

The Christian man and woman are called to build their character, refine their gender, and work together to demonstrate the restorative work of God in redeeming His creation through Christ!