

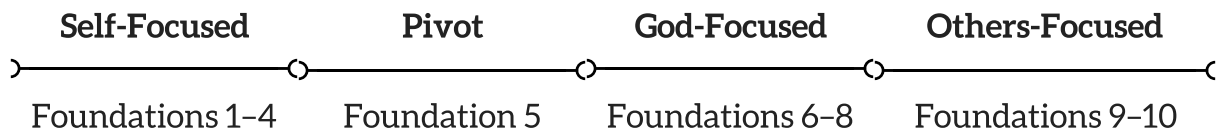


Foundation 6: You are meant to increasingly image God.

Scripture: Genesis 1:26; Ephesians 4:13, 15; 2 Corinthians 3:18; Colossians 3:9–10

Resources: *Invitation to a Journey* and *Shaped by the Word* by Robert Mulholland

A breakdown of the series:



1. We increasingly image God.

- It happens over time and by degree.
- This is a process.
- There is grace to be found in this.

2. We increasingly image God.

- We image God's essential nature.
- This is not about behavior modification.
- The distinction between Jesus (the man) and Christ (the Eternal One) is important.

3. We increasingly image God.

- God speaks us forth as words that are in accordance with God's nature.
- We are meant to *become*, but God delights in us every step of the way.
- Every manner of creation reflects God in its own way.

Reflection Questions:

- How have you seen yourself grow spiritually over time?
- How has that growth reflected different aspects of God's nature in you?
- What are some of the ways you would articulate your true self as an expression of God's essential nature?