# **MSG: CONTENT CREATOR**

Scripture: Romans 8:33-39 ESV

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"Who shall bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us. Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or danger, or sword? As it is written, "For your sake we are being killed all the day long; we are regarded as sheep to be slaughtered." No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord."

## **1 Timothy 6:6-8 NIV**

But godliness with contentment is great gain. For we brought nothing into the world, and we can take nothing out of it. But if we have food and clothing, we will be content with that."

WE LIVE IN AN CONTENT CREATION CULTURE

We curate content, but can't curate contentment

REVIVE CONTENTMENT

#### 1. CONTENTMENT IS CONNECTED TO THE HEART

"We have different gifts, according to the grace given to each of us. If your gift is prophesying, then prophesy in accordance with your faith; if it is to encourage, then give encouragement; if it is giving, then give generously; if it is to lead, do it diligently; if it is to show mercy, do it cheerfully."

**Romans 12:6, 8 NIV** 

- 2. CONTENTMENT GROWS THROUGH GRATITUDE
- 3. CONTENTMENT IS CONTINUAL

"The wise woman builds her house, but with her own hands the foolish one tears hers down." Proverbs 14:1 NIV

Do you know your true self? Or do you self-edit her away? This isn't a young woman's issue, an older woman's issue- this is a human issue.

The danger of comparison is that it fuels a false narrative that God's provisions are in limited supply...

Contentment liberates us from the trap of comparison

CONTEMPT EVOLVES TO COMPLACENCY

## **Reject comparison and Revive Contentment**

## REJECT COMPARISON

For where you have envy and selfish ambition, there you find disorder and every evil practice...But the wisdom that comes from heaven is first of all pure; then peace-loving, considerate, submissive, full of mercy and good fruit, impartial and sincere."

**James 3:16-17 NIV** 

Older women teach the younger women

Titus 2:1, 3-5,7-8 ESV

"But as for you, teach what accords with sound doctrine. Older women likewise are to be reverent in behavior, not slanderers or slaves to much wine. They are to teach what is good, and so train the young women to love their husbands and children, to be self-controlled, pure, working at home, kind, and submissive to their own husbands, that the word of God may not be reviled. Show yourself in all respects to be a model of good works, and in your teaching show integrity, dignity, and sound speech that cannot be condemned, so that an opponent may be put to shame, having nothing evil to say about us."

- 1. Be resourceful
- 2. Be rooted
- 3. Be resolute

| Questions:  |
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| Marriage:   |
| What are common misconceptions about marriage that couples should be made aware of?               |
| What's more dangerous to a marriage (a) lack of communication or (b) lack of intimacy             |
| My spouse walked out. I still want my marriage. How do i hear from God?                           |
| Should married couples always worship/pray together? (a) yes (b) it's okay as long as you are     |
| Single/Dating:  |
| In the Christian community, why is dating multiple people when you're not married considered bad? |
| If the chemistry is amazing but they're spiritually weak, should you still give them a chance?    |
| What's worse: dating someone who's (a) financially broke or (b) spiritually broke                 |
| Is the presence & engagement of men within the church (A) yes or (B) no                           |

Can a Christian woman and other religions marry? (A) yes or (b) no

How do i avoid carrying past trauma into new relationships?

I have a 2 year old and 1 year old. I want my wife and bed back. How do i create that boundary?