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Why am I?

The big question: What is humanity's place in the universe?

Psalm 8:3-6

You were made for greatness.

Then the Lord God formed a man from the dust of the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and the man became a living being.

Genesis 2:7

Let us make mankind in our image, in our likeness, so that they may rule over the fish in the sea and the birds in the sky, over the livestock and all the wild animals, and over all the creatures that move along the ground.

Genesis 1:26

2. You were made to make a difference.

The Lord God took the man and put him in the Garden of Eden to work it and take care of it.

Genesis 2:15

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, they are a new creation. The old has gone, the new is here! And God has committed to us the message of reconciliation. We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us.

2 Corinthians 5:17, 19-20

3. You were made for relationships.

With God

Then the man and his wife heard the sound of the Lord God as he was walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and they hid from the Lord God among the trees of the garden. But the Lord God called to the man, "Where are you?"

Genesis 3:8-9

With others

So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

Genesis 1:27

So in Christ we, though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others.

Romans 12:5