



## Real vs. Ideal

RELATIONSHIPS FOR A 21ST CENTURY

### **Introduction**

Our world is just the magnification of our relationships

### **The Gap**

In our relationships we learnt to live somewhere in the gap between Real and Ideal.

### **Aim High**

Why would we want less than the best?

### **God's Ideal**

Relationships are the primary vehicle for the promotion of the gospel.

### **Back to the beginning**

God's best for your life is to be fruitful

Gen 1:27 - 28 (Be Fruitful)

Matt 22:37 - 39 (Great Commandment)

### **Our Response**

We choose how to fill the gap between our expectations and experience.

Believe the Best or Assume the Worst

### **Our Challenge**

Don't expect a harvest from a planting that never happened.