



LET'S GO DEEPER

Seeking Revival - Hunger - July 7 - Pastor Mathias

Genesis 2:15-17

“Then the Lord God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to tend and keep it. 16 And the Lord God commanded the man, saying, Of every tree of the garden you may freely eat; 17 but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die.”

1. The more you eat, the more you crave

Psalm 34:8

Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good; Blessed is the man who trusts in Him!

You can't crave what you have never tasted. Imagine a baby trying ice cream for the first time. As she takes her first bite, her face lights up, and she clings to the ice cream, refusing to let go. Once you've tasted the sweetness, you will see how good it is. Similarly, when you taste the goodness of the Lord, it will create a craving within you that makes you dissatisfied with anything else that tries to take His place.

This concept is beautifully shown in the story of the Samaritan woman at the well in the book of John. She came to the well to quench her physical thirst, but Jesus met her there to address a deeper, spiritual thirst.

Jesus knew everything about her—her struggles, her sins, and her deepest needs. Despite knowing all this, He loved her and offered her something that the water she was drawing couldn't provide.

Overwhelmed by this encounter, she left her jar and ran to tell everyone, "Come, see a man who told me everything I ever did. Come and taste and see that the Lord is good."

2. Food for the Hungry: Directing Our Hunger to the Right Place

QUESTIONS:

1. Why is experiencing God goodness life changing?

2. How was the encounter of the Samaritan woman with Jesus impacted her life?

3. What happened in your life after you experienced God's goodness?
