

The Edenic Covenant

*A quick note regarding the Leader's Guide. Please use this only as a supplement to help further discussion. The book is your guide and should be your primary resource. This leader's guide is here to provide further insight into various moments and develop greater depth in understanding. Please add your own questions from your time in the book and your time in God's Word.

Remember the Offerings of Covenants:

Suzerain (God)	Vassal (Us)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Protection</u> • <u>Privilege</u> • <u>Identity</u> • <u>Provision</u> • <u>Authority</u> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Devotion</u> • <u>Loyalty</u> • <u>Identity</u> • <u>Representation</u>

Supplemental Questions by page. Apply as appropriate

Pg. 18

By giving Adam a covenant command with a consequence for failure to follow that command, what is God setting for Adam?

Boundary

Which aspect of covenant offering does boundary fulfill?

Protection

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Which aspect of covenant is God offering to Adam by having Adam name the animals?

Authority

Which part of covenant is Adam exercising by using that authority according to God's command?

Representation

As Adam was created in God's image, in his pre-fallen state he was exactly as God intended and an amazingly accurate representative of his Creator. Understanding this, what, or better yet, Who is God revealing by revealing Adam in his pre-fallen state?

HIMSELF....His very own nature.

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As you've read these verses from John 14, you've been asked to summarize them. Let's take it a step further. Take a few moments to pray over these verses. What is the Holy Spirit revealing to you as you pray and read these verses?

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There are some pretty big contradictions in these verses. Satan questions whether or not Jesus is the Son of God, and with Eve he tells her that by eating the fruit she'll be like God. What element of covenant is Satan ultimately targeting?

Identity

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As you examine the section titled "Christ in the Covenant," what sticks out to you? What is the Holy Spirit revealing to you through His Word?

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God calls out, "Where are you?" What affect does this have on you? How do you react to this revelation?

Even though God knew the answer to this question, which emotion does this question reveal God was experiencing?

Loss