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Real Living

Luke 15:24 John 10:10

5 Awakenings in Our Spiritual Journey:

1. An awakening to longing: "There's got to be more."
2. An awakening to regret: "I wish I could start over."
3. An awakening to help: "I can't do this on my own."
4. An awakening to love: "God loves me deeply after all."
5. An awakening to life: "Now this is living!
I have come that you may have life, and have it to the full. [John 10:10]

BIOS: Our natural life or chronological life.

ZOE: The quality of life that comes from knowing God.

"For this son of mine was dead and has now returned to life. He was lost, but now he is found." [Luke 15:24]

Four spiritual realities:

Life is a journey HOME.

- We are all exiles, longing for home.
- ZOE is living with the reality that we are going home.

Life is a journey of CELEBRATION.

- When what was lost is found there is a celebration!
- You have been reconciled to God. Celebrate!
- ZOE is celebrating our salvation!

Life is a journey of CONNECTION.

- We can't live the Christian life alone!
- Connecting is something God designed us for.
- ZOE is discovering we're better together.

Life is a journey of CONTRIBUTION.

- God has a dream for this world.
- Every person would know they are loved by him.
- Every person would enter into relationship with him.
- Zoe is finding our part in God's dream.

Prayer Awakening to Life:

"God if you are real, make yourself real to me.

Awaken me to the reality that you are living your life through me."