

Sow Yourself

2 Corinthians 9:10^{ESV} 10 He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness.

- You were created by God as a unique gift to the world, to display His glory and reflect His character. And when you come into the knowledge of your created purpose, you will grapple with where you should be and what you should do.
- ***I encourage you to embrace this truth. You are a seed and a sower. The greatest seed you will ever sow is yourself.*** So where should we sow ourselves?
 1. **Sow yourself into the Kingdom** - this means actively investing your time, talents, resources, and righteousness into God's purposes, moving beyond self-interest to spiritual generosity. It involves breaking hard hearts, seeking God, and trusting that this "labor of love" yields eternal fruit, divine blessing, and a spiritual harvest. ***Hosea 10:12***^{ESV} *Sow for yourselves righteousness; reap steadfast love; break up your fallow ground, for it is the time to seek the LORD, that he may come and rain righteousness upon you.*
 2. **Sow yourself into Relationships** - this means investing authenticity, self-love, boundaries, and personal growth into your connections, rather than losing yourself to please others. It requires being whole on your own first, ensuring you bring strength, trust, and genuine value to others while mirroring self-respect outward. ***Proverbs 18:24***^{NIV} *One who has unreliable friends soon comes to ruin, but there is a friend who sticks closer than a brother.*
 3. **Sow yourself into Legacy** - this means deliberately investing your time, faith, resources, and love into others and God's work today to create a lasting, positive impact that outlives you. It requires living intentionally, nurturing relationships, acting with integrity, and planting seeds of righteousness and wisdom for future generations. ***2 Timothy 1:5-6***^{ESV} *I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that dwelt first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, dwells in you as well. For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands,*