

The Story of You.

TYPE TWO - THE HELPER

The story of you only makes sense within the big story **OF GOD.**

Luke 10:38-42 *As Jesus and his disciples were on their way, he came to a village where a woman named Martha opened her home to him. 39 She had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet listening to what he said. 40 But Martha was distracted by all the preparations that had to be made. She came to him and asked, "Lord, don't you care that my sister has left me to do the work by myself? Tell her to help me!" 41 "Martha, Martha," the Lord answered, "you are worried and upset about many things, 42 but few things are needed—or indeed only one. Mary has chosen what is better, and it will not be taken away from her."*

1. The Helper believes everybody should be **SERVING** like they are.
2. The Helper – Reflects **GOD'S HEART** for service.

Mark 10:45 *For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.*
3. The motivation of Helpers: To feel **LOVED.**
4. The Helper's inner need – to be **NEEDED.**
5. The focus of the Helper – The **NEEDS** of others.

6. The core sin: **PRIDE.**

7. When unhealthy, Helpers avoid **THEIR OWN NEEDS.**

How do I love a Helper?

1. Notice them and thank them for their service.
2. Have them name one thing you can do for them.
3. Invite them over when you don't need something done.
4. Ask them to stop and tell you how their time with God and with their family (or friends) is going.

Praise God for twos because: There's no Sun Grove Church without you. There's no Kingdom without you. You serve. You give your time. You show up. You build. You do above and beyond what is needed. You sacrifice. Thank God for you!