

DISCUSSION questions

1. Is there an adoption or foster care connection in your life? Yourself? In your family? A friend? A neighbor? Share the story.
2. Our calling to serve the fatherless is grounded in the reality that God has adopted us. Read Galatians 3:25-29 and 4:4-7 and discuss who we were before Christ and what God has done for us.
3. Read Deuteronomy 24:17-22 and Psalm 82:3-4. From God's perspective, what does justice for the fatherless look like?
4. What are your anxieties or hesitations about personally caring for children in crisis, whether in a "front lines" role or a "wrap-around" role?
5. Share something that impacted you as Bob, Emily and Isaiah Reis shared their story.
6. Pray together for God to care for children who don't have a home.

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