

How the Family Became Broken?

Genesis 3:8-11 “And they heard the voice of the LORD God walking in the garden in the cool of the day...I heard thy voice in the garden...I was naked...*Who told thee that thou wast naked...*”

- **Why was God seeking Adam and Eve?**
 1. God wanted to fellowship with His family
 2. God wanted to talk with His family
- **God was angry that His family was afraid and did not want to relate to Him**
- **Adam’s family did not want to fellowship because they were naked (vulnerable)**

Genesis 2:25 (AMP) “And the man and his wife were both naked and *were not* embarrassed or ashamed in each other's presence”

Genesis 3:11 “...*Who told you that you were naked...?*”

- **Consequences of the fall of Adam and his family**
 1. The family became broken spiritually, hiding from God – lost fellowship

Hebrews 10:22-25 (AMP) “...Not forsaking or neglecting to assemble together [as believers], as is the habit of some people, but admonishing (warning, urging, and encouraging) one another, and all the more faithfully as you see the day approaching”

2. The family became disjointed through the order of submission
3. The family had to work hard at surviving
4. The family had difficulty in expansion

What was the real problem of Adam’s family?

Genesis 2:16-17 “...But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it...”

They disobeyed God!

Disobedience is the refusal to obey

Though they disobeyed God the real reason of their demise is because of unbelief

Unbelief is like divorce

- Broken trust
- Broken communication
- Broken intimacy
- Broken reliance

Romans 5:12, 19 "Therefore, just as through one man sin entered the world, and death through sin, and thus death spread to all men, because all sinned."