

GOD IN THE LIFE OF MAN – LESSONS FROM GENESIS

God in the Life of Adam Part 3: The Protecting God Genesis 2:15-17

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1 – God’s Two Trees

Gen. 2:9 And out of the ground the LORD God made to spring up every tree that is pleasant to the sight and good for food. The tree of life was in the midst of the garden, and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil.

Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil

Not Magical Trees

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2 – God’s Fatherly Protection

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Relationship Between God & His People