## CHARLIE CLEVERLY

## the discipline of intimacy

The Joy and Awe of Walking with God



## Using *The Discipline of Intimacy* for Individual or Group Study

We have created a series of companion videos for *The Discipline of Intimacy* in which Charlie Cleverly unpacks the theme of each chapter. The videos can be used in your personal devotions or as an introduction if you're using this book as a group study. The videos are available to stream from www.DisciplineofIntimacy.com.

When using this book in a group, we suggest encouraging people to read the corresponding chapter before arriving each session. In order to make leading a group through *The Discipline of Intimacy* an easy task, we recommend using the following structure:

- 1. Welcome and icebreaker. If your group all know each other well, this is the easy part. However, if you have new people or a new group, then spend a little time encouraging participants to introduce themselves. A welcoming refreshment and some quiet worship music played in the background can help to make people feel comfortable.
- **2. Play the video.** Play the video from that week's chapter to the group, either streaming to your set-top box or smart TV or, if that isn't possible, playing through a laptop or a similar device.
- **3. Discussion questions.** Lead the group in a discussion using the study questions provided at the end of each chapter as a guide. Encourage people to contribute, watching out for those who may want to share something but are nervous or shy, and not allowing the more confident participants to dominate the discussion.

**4. Prayer and refreshments.** Give time at the end of each session for prayer if that is something your group is comfortable with. There may be those who have been moved or inspired to act on something following the discussion and are seeking support; there may be some who feel stirred to seek God and His will for them. Finish with refreshments and a time of fellowship.



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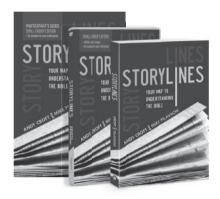
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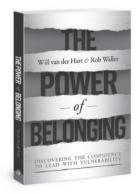
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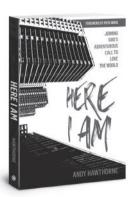
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