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We invite you to gather an intergenerational group of women to study *What's SHE Doing Here? The Messy Women in Jesus's Genealogy*, written by Susan Tyner and produced by CDM. The study will run for 8 weeks. Online you will find weekly encouragement emails, the weekly teaching video lesson, and discussion questions for free. The book is available from PCABookstore.com.

Seductress. Prostitute. Outcast. Adulterer. Pregnant Unwed Teen. Who would highlight that kind of ancestry?

Jesus would.

The only person who ever got to choose His family doesn't hide the messes. He highlights them for all to see. He unashamedly says they're His.

The Gospel of Matthew begins with Jesus's family tree, an unusual one not only because it includes women, but messy women: Tamar, who tricked her father-in-law to impregnate her; Rahab, the Jericho prostitute who betrayed her countrymen; Ruth, the widowed Moabite turned beggar; and Bathsheba, listed only by her murdered husband's name. Then there was Mary. Although we know of her innocence and submission to God, those around her questioned her purity and the legitimacy of the Child she bore.

Join Susan Tyner in examining how God wove the messy stories of these five women together into His Big Story of salvation. And learn how He continues to redeem His children—one messy story at a time.

