

Compelled: Ordinary People, Extraordinary God August 6, 2025

Chapter 3: Transgenderism to Transformed

KJV Psalm 139:14 I will praise thee; for I am fearfully *and* wonderfully made: marvellous *are* thy works; and *that* my soul knoweth right well. 15 My substance was not hid from thee, when I was made in secret, *and* curiously wrought in the lowest parts of the earth.

KJV Ephesians 2:10 For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them.

Getting Started

1. What confuses you about gender confusion? What do you think is driving the attention to sexual orientation in our day?

Chapter Content

2. When did Laura's problems concerning identity start? What did Laura want? (42)
3. When did Laura's problems at home come to a head? How did Laura respond? (43-44)
4. What contributed to Laura's feelings of worthlessness? Of growing interest in becoming a man? (45)

5. What caused Laura to pause a moment before she had surgery? What weighed on her mind as she thought about the possibility of death? (48)

6. What was her emotional state post surgery? What did her lesbian boss recognized about her a few weeks later? Did the physical changes affect how she felt? (49).

7. What did God use to begin getting through to Laura? What opened her heart to God? (52)

8. Who confronted Laura about her transgender lifestyle? What did He use to convince Laura of the Holy Spirit's whisperings? (53-54)

9. How long had Laura lived as Jake? Who deserves the credit for bringing her out? (56)

10. Why should we live with hope for the person caught in gender confusion? How did God surprise Laura with his grace? (57)