

# Discussion Guide for Food Inc.

## 1. Preliminary Questions

- a. Does the Bible have anything to say about food? If so, list some examples.  
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- b. Why do you think God used food as the test case for Adam and Eve? (Genesis 2:16-17)
- c. What is God's first command to Adam? (Gen 2:15) Was this command before or after the fall? Is the command ever revoked? When God blesses Adam and Eve what does he command them to do? (Genesis 1:28-29)
- d. Does God care about what you eat and how you produce and prepare it? Why?

## 2. Perspectives on Food Inc.

- a. Is there any type of media which is exempt from Biblical evaluation? Why or why not?  
**FOOD, INC.**
- b. What is the perspective or bias of the movie, Food Inc.?
- c. Is this perspective completely consistent with Biblical ethics?
- d. Can truth come through unbelieving or unbiblical sources? What does the Bible say?
- e. What danger do we face as Christians when presented with a documentary such as Food Inc.?

### 3. Purposes for Food

a. According to Scripture, what are some of the physical purposes for food?

- i. Genesis 1:29 vs. Genesis 3:6
- ii. 1 Samuel 14:29, 2 Samuel 16:2.
- iii. Psalm 104:14-15.
- iv. Exodus 15:25-26

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b. Are there spiritual purposes for food?

- i. Exodus 22:31
- ii. 1 Corinthians 10:31
- iii. 1 Corinthians 10:16-17
- iv. 1 Corinthians 11:17ff

c. Are these spiritual purposes limited to the Old Testament?

- i. Acts 15:20
- ii. Romans 14:7-8, 1 Corinthians 8:8-13
- iii. Colossians 2:16-17

d. What sinful tendencies does the Scripture describe regarding food?

- i. Genesis 3:15
- ii. Proverbs 23:1-3
- iii. Matthew 15:10, 1 Corinthians 8:8
- iv. 1 Corinthians 10:16-17

### 4. Process of Producing Food

a. Does the Bible care about how food is prepared or where it came from? Why?

- i. Genesis 47:13-26
- ii. Exodus 23:19
- iii. Exodus 22:31, Acts 15:20
- iv. Leviticus 7:22-27
- v. Proverbs 23:6-8
- vi. Deuteronomy 14:3
- vii. 1 Corinthians 10:16-17

b. What does the Bible say about Hybridization?

- i. Leviticus 19:19ff
- ii. Deuteronomy 22:9ff

c. How is plant life described as being created in the account from Genesis?