

Additional

Friends

**God's Relational Design for
Women**



February 2nd 2011
Summitview



Schedule

8:30	Check in	Gym
9:00	Session I	Sanctuary
10:30	Break (10 minutes)	
10:40	Session II	Sanctuary
12:15	Lunch	Gym
1:15	Workshops	(TBA)
2:20	Session III	Sanctuary

Quiet Time

Recommended Resources:



Session 1

Session 2

Workshop

Workshops

1. **Dealing with Disappointment (Tina Wilson)** Many of us struggle to know how to deal with unfulfilled expectations, hopes, & plans. What do we do when things in life just aren't turning out the way we always thought they would? We wrestle with being disappointed and angry at God. We feel surrounded by people who have _____, when we don't. Hear how God brought one woman through this deep valley & be encouraged that He can do the same for you.

2. **Being a Truly Encouraging Friend (Shelli Majeski, Chrissy Hamilton, & Courtney Van Evera)** Not many of us understand how to truly celebrate faith & growth in those around us. Rather we find ourselves discouraging those God has put in our lives by being critical or having unrealistic expectations of them. Learn how to begin seeing your loved ones' small steps of faith & obedience and grow in cheering them on.

3. **Lonely Seasons - Remaining Spiritually Challenged in the Absence of a Mentor (Susan Wang & Kimberly Hrouda)** There are times for each of us when we seem to not have mature, challenging voices speaking into our lives. What are some ways to make sure we don't grow stagnant or apathetic spiritually? Hear life stories & encouragement from women who've been there & not only survived, but come out stronger in faith through this season.

4. **Mentoring My Older Daughter or "When all Else Fails Give Them Chocolate" (Becky Bryant)** As a Christian mother, my first mentoring responsibility is to my own daughter. As she reaches high school, college-age, & beyond, our relationship shifts & can present new & sometimes confusing challenges. An interactive workshop with practical ideas, wisdom, and helpful resources gleaned from multiple women of high school/college age or married daughters.