In His Own Image

Moses records the Spirit's revelation to him of the creation of man (Genesis 1:26-31). The uniqueness of that element of God's creation is best summarized in the phrase, "in his own image." Complete the following by filling in appropriate vowels. Each will highlight an element of being made in God's image.

1. C R __ __ T __ V __ T __

2. L __ N G __ __ G __

3. W __ L L F __ L N __ S S

4. M __ R __ L D __ S C __ R N M __ N T (two words)

5. R __ L __ T __ __ N S H __ P

6. C __ V __ N __ N T C __ P __ C __ T __ (two words)

Where do you see each of these in today's texts? Write a short explanation of each to the right of the words above.

What other elements of our correspondence to God's nature and character distinguish us from other elements of His creation?

See John 15:9, 17. _____

See Romans 1:18-20. _____

See Psalm 8, especially verses 1 and 5b. _____

Potter and Clay

In the Spirit's words in Genesis 2:4-7, some see in the creation of Adam an image similar to that of the potter throwing a beautiful pot. Accept that image, and then note the similarities and the differences. One suggestion is made for each.

Similarities	Differences
Both are created for a purpose.	God's creation is animate; a pot is inanimate.
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Compare and contrast your lists with those of another class member.

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