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REMINDERS

*for When You  
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# 1

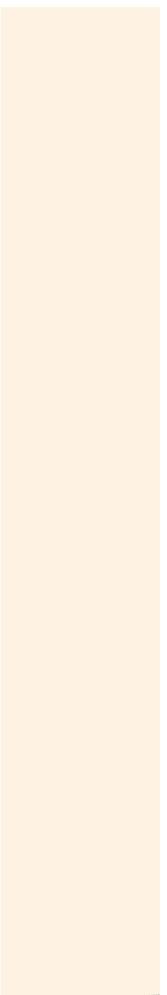
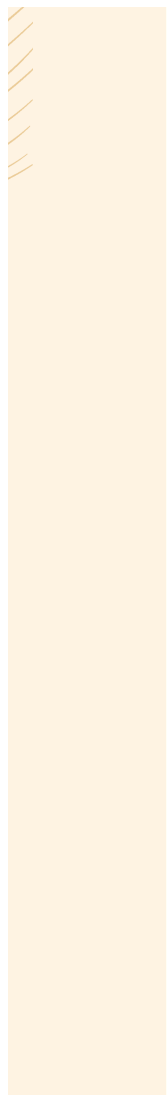
## God loves your story.

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All the days ordained for me  
were written in your book before  
one of them came to be.

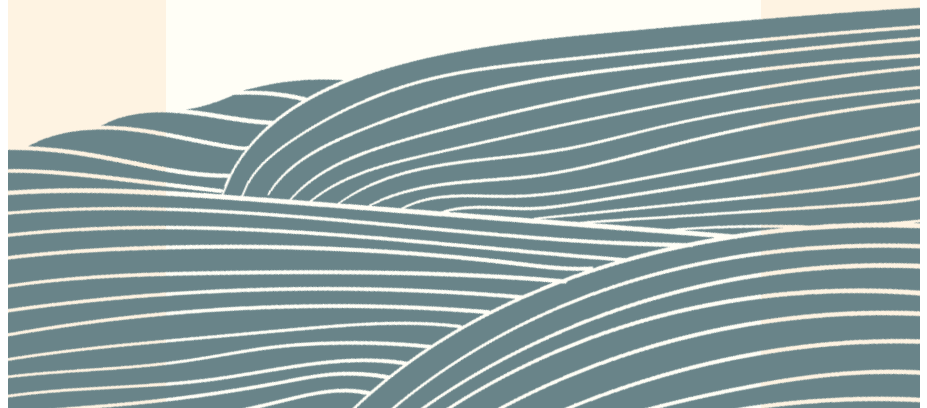
PSALM 139:16





**YOU HAVE AN AMAZING STORY. HOW**

can you be sure? Because it was written by Yahweh, the Lord God Himself, before you were even born. He knew every twist of the plot and every unexpected turn. Every joy, every sorrow. Wherever you go, He has already been. He will walk before you and with you as Lord and Guide and Friend. And when you entrust your story to Him, He promises you the best of endings—a happily, *heavenly* forever after.





# 2

## God loves the treasure of you.

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Out of all the peoples on the face  
of the earth, the LORD has chosen  
you to be his treasured possession.

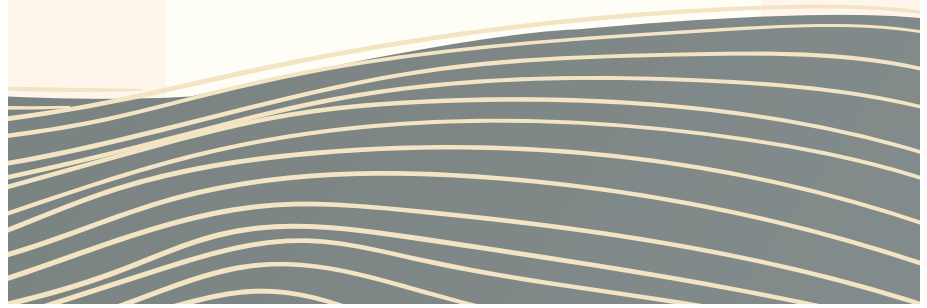
DEUTERONOMY 14:2





**GOLD AND SILVER? THEY'RE JUST**

heavenly pavement to Him. Rubies and sapphires? Simple stones for His gates. Diamonds? They're as common as coal. But you? You are His child. You are *precious*. Worth searching for, worth saving, worth every sacrifice. And when God counts up His heavenly treasures, He counts . . . *you*.





# 3

## God loves you, even when you're frazzled and frayed.

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“Come to me, all you who  
are weary and burdened,  
and I will give you rest.”

MATTHEW 11:28



### ALREADY LATE AND THAT TIRE

couldn't be any flatter. Spaghetti-sauce splatters on your favorite shirt. And that date? Well, yes . . . it was a *definite* disaster! When it feels as if your life is falling apart at the seams, run to God. Rest your world-worn and weary heart in His. When the computer crashes, when your patience is kaput, when it's simply been one of those days, remember that God loves you . . . *even* when you're frazzled and frayed.






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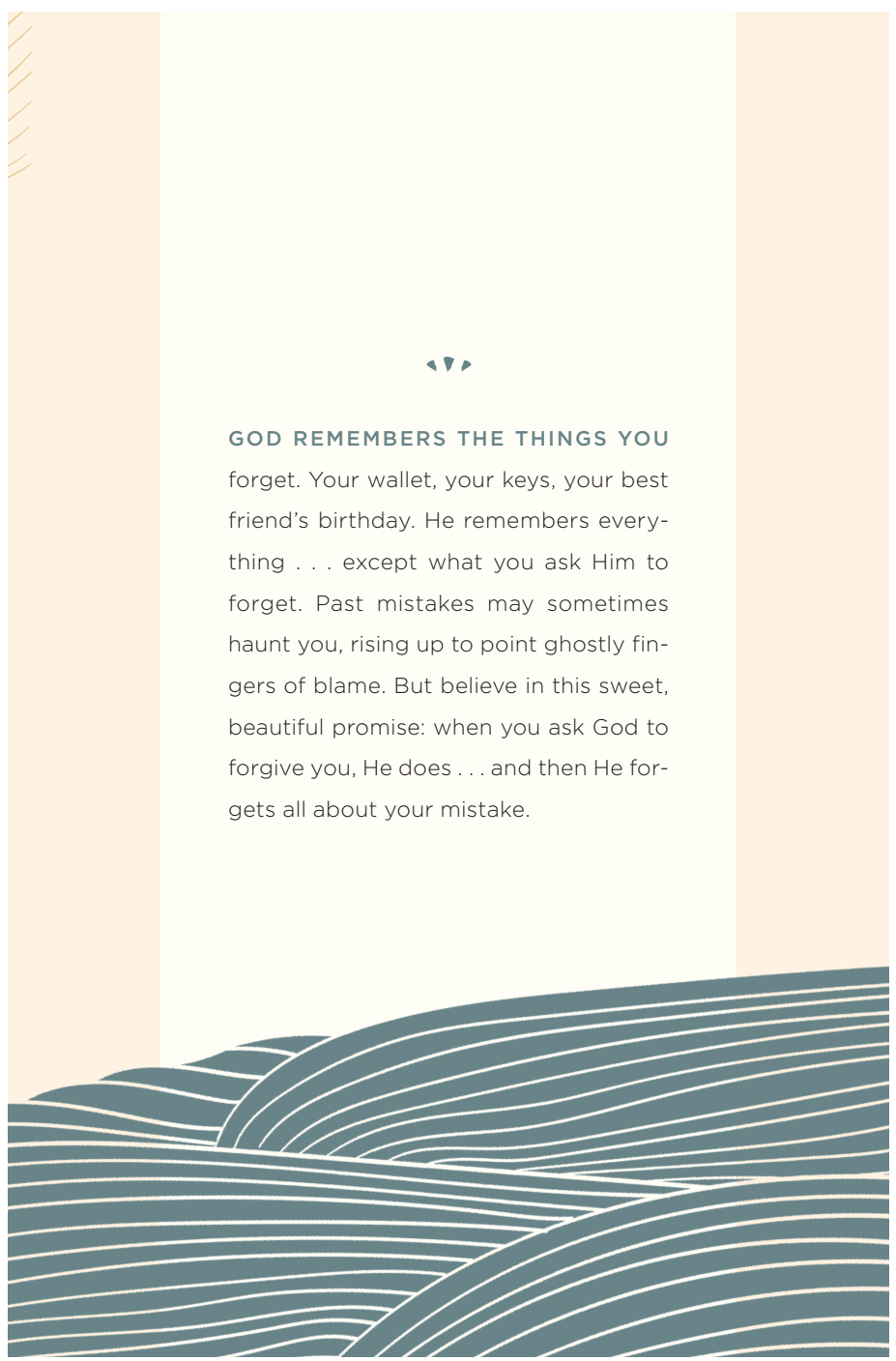
## God loves when you ask Him to forget.

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“I, even I, am he who blots out  
your transgressions, for my own sake,  
and remembers your sins no more.”

ISAIAH 43:25





**GOD REMEMBERS THE THINGS YOU**

forget. Your wallet, your keys, your best friend's birthday. He remembers everything . . . except what you ask Him to forget. Past mistakes may sometimes haunt you, rising up to point ghostly fingers of blame. But believe in this sweet, beautiful promise: when you ask God to forgive you, He does . . . and then He forgets all about your mistake.





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# God loves to call you His own.

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See what great love the Father  
has lavished on us, that we  
should be called children of God!

And that is what we are!

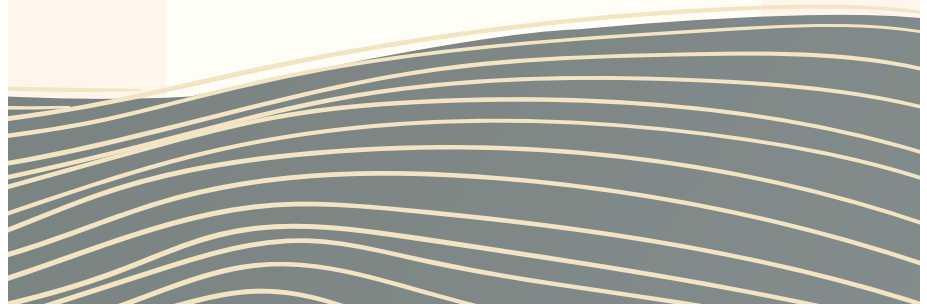
1 JOHN 3:1





**GOD LOVES YOU. MORE THAN JUST A**

little. More than a lot. He loves you . . . *lavishly*. His love is not the stingy, strings-attached love of this world. It is a love that stretches beyond the stars and reaches far into eternity. Just call His name, reach out to Him—and His love will sweep into your life, scoop you up, and whisper softly over and over, “You are Mine,” . . . for you are His very own.





# 6

## God loves when you let Him carry you.

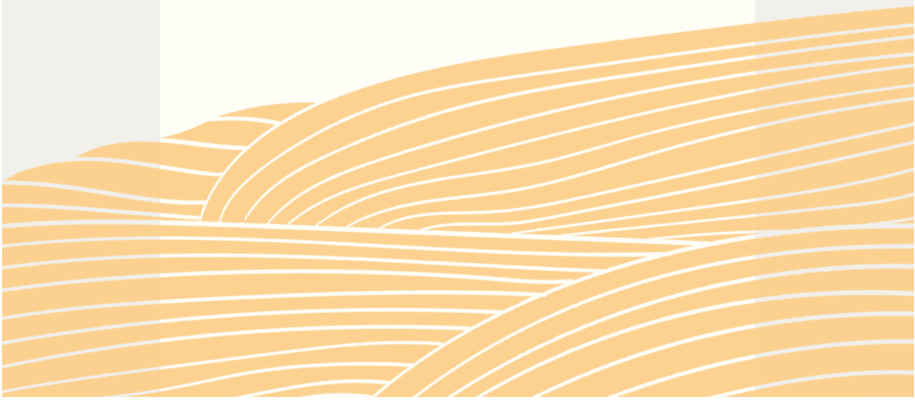
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He gathers the lambs in his arms  
and carries them close to his heart.

ISAIAH 40:11



**IT'S HARD SOMETIMES, ISN'T IT? THE** responsibilities, the obligations of daily life. It can sometimes feel as if the weight of the whole world is resting on your shoulders. But the world isn't yours to carry; it's His. When you're too tattered and tired to try yet again, you're too wobbly and weak to keep walking, or you've stumbled down one of life's steep slopes, throw your hands up to Him and say, "I can't do this by myself!" Because when you reach up, He loves to reach down, lift you up, and carry you . . . close to His heart.





7

# God loves the beauty of you.

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You are altogether  
beautiful, my darling;  
there is no flaw in you.

SONG OF SONGS 4:7





## THE WORLD HAS THIS DEFINITION OF

what beauty is, of what it's supposed to look like. Throw it out. Toss it in the trash heap. Because a true definition of beauty is only found in the One who created it. So open up God's Word and take a look in the mirror of truth. You are a beloved child of the King. You are breathtaking, jaw-dropping, heaven-and-heart-stopping. A handcrafted work of art. Don't think you're beautiful? God has something to say about that: my darling, you are *altogether beautiful!*







# 8

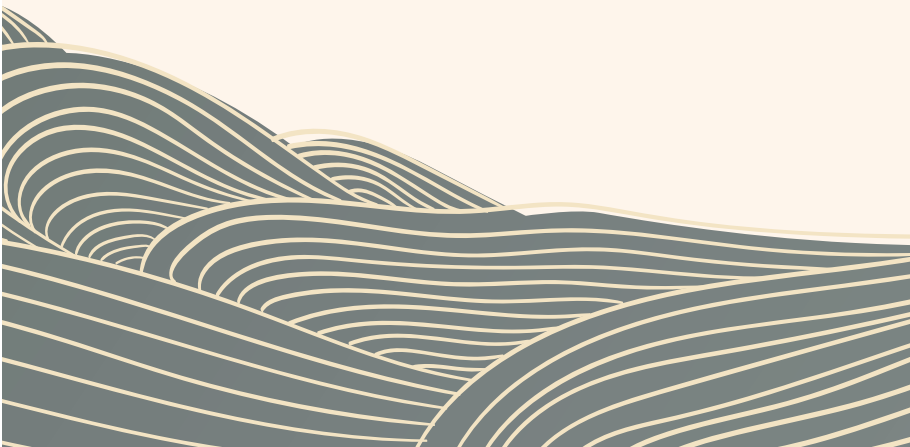
## God loves the worth of you.

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“Are not five sparrows sold for  
two pennies? Yet not one of them  
is forgotten by God. . . . You are  
worth more than many sparrows.”

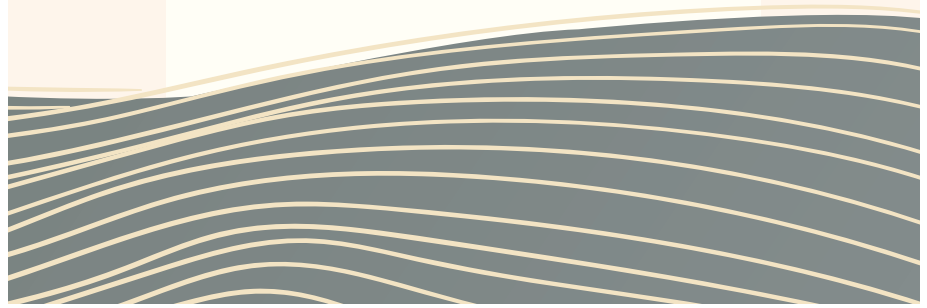
LUKE 12:6-7





### HOW MUCH ARE YOU WORTH? THE

bank has an opinion. So do your teachers and your boss. Even science says that the sum of all your chemical parts is worth only a few dollars. But God says, "You are worth more than many sparrows." Think about that: not a single, tiny sparrow ever falls to the ground unnoticed by God. So imagine how much more He will watch over you! The One who knows the worth of the smallest sparrow also knows and loves the worth of you.





# 9

## God loves all the little things about you.

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“The very hairs of your head  
are all numbered.”

LUKE 12:7



### **GOD KNOWS EVERY LITTLE THING**

about you, even the number of hairs on your head. Yes, every last one of them. Because He created you. Because He loves you. That freckle on your cheek? He put it there—in just the right spot. That quirky little giggle? God pitched it and placed it there in your heart. You may look at yourself and see only the flaws, but God doesn't. He loves every little thing about you . . . yes, even that freckle on your cheek.





# 10

## God loves the way you hide in Him.

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You are my hiding place;  
you will protect me from trouble  
and surround me with  
songs of deliverance.

PSALM 32:7





**WHEN THE WORLD COMES CRASHING,** banging, stomping, and complaining through your life, it can make you want to turn and run and hide. *So do it!* Run straight to Him. Hide away from the world for a little while. Let God heal your wounded heart. Let Him fill your spirit with His strength and your soul with His songs. Then you can go back and face the world again because God loves the way you hide in Him.

