

PROTECTION

Heavenly Father,

I lay this beautiful child at Your feet. I love him more than I could ever fathom, and it humbles me to know You love him even more. I also lay down my fear and anxiety over his safety and ask You to protect him all the days of his life. I know he does not need to be afraid because You go before him, walk beside him, and will never fail him or abandon him (Deuteronomy 31:8). Help him to always feel Your presence, even when he is alone. And help me loosen my grip as I trust in Your love and care for him.

Amen.



Do not be afraid or discouraged,
for the LORD will personally
go ahead of you. He will be
with you; he will neither fail
you nor abandon you.

DEUTERONOMY 31:8



Jesus told him, “I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one can come to the Father except through me.”

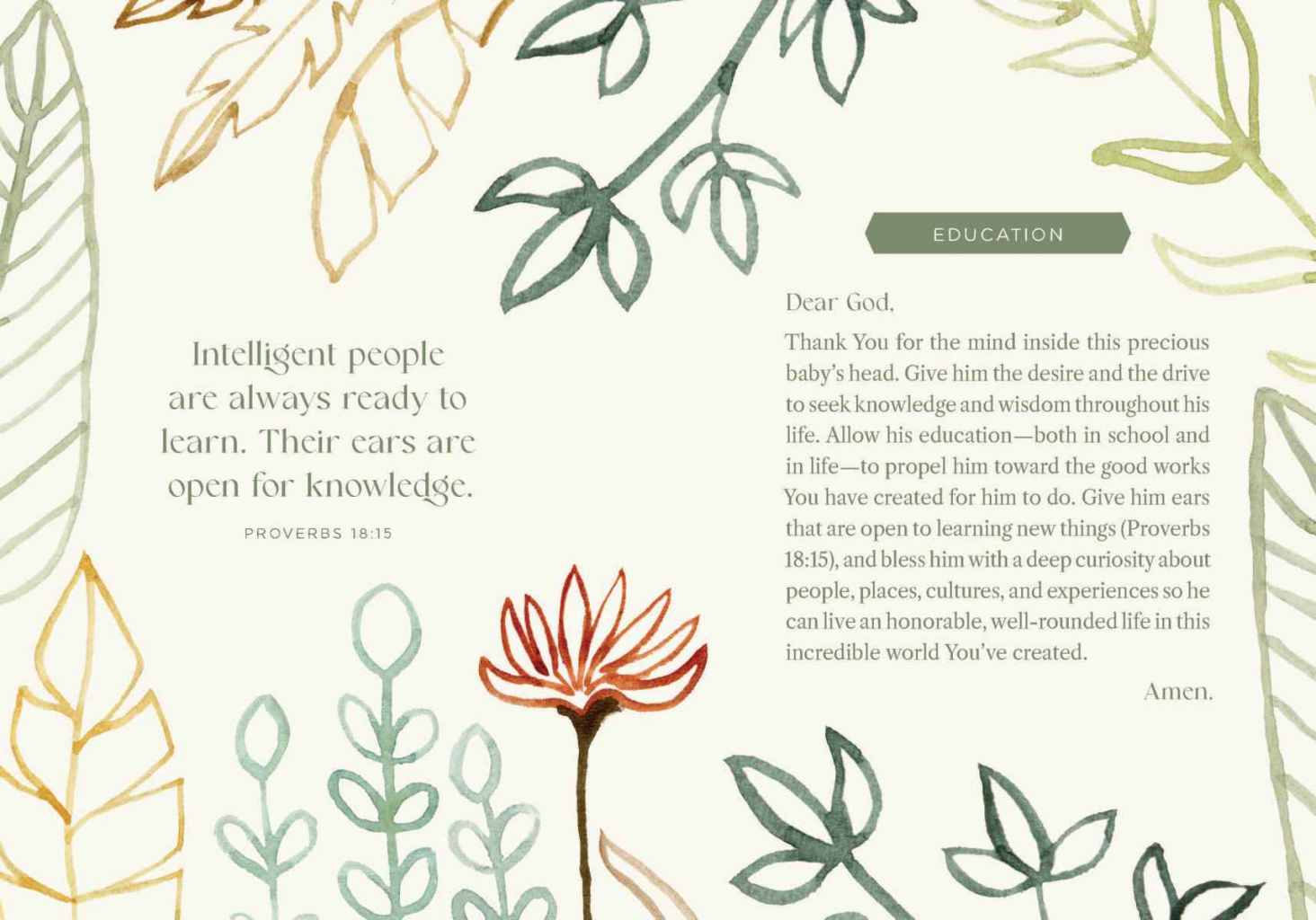
JOHN 14:6

RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS

Dear God,

Thank You for sending Your Son to save my precious son. Guide him daily along the illuminated path toward Jesus—the way, the truth, and the life (John 14:6)—offering him the promise of eternal unity with You. I ask that when Your timing is right, You would allow him to accept Jesus as his personal Savior and walk the rest of his days in relationship with Him.

Amen.



Intelligent people
are always ready to
learn. Their ears are
open for knowledge.

PROVERBS 18:15

EDUCATION

Dear God,

Thank You for the mind inside this precious baby's head. Give him the desire and the drive to seek knowledge and wisdom throughout his life. Allow his education—both in school and in life—to propel him toward the good works You have created for him to do. Give him ears that are open to learning new things (Proverbs 18:15), and bless him with a deep curiosity about people, places, cultures, and experiences so he can live an honorable, well-rounded life in this incredible world You've created.

Amen.

WORK ETHIC

Dear God,

I ask that You give this child the desire to work hard and willingly at whatever he does and to commit his work to You (Colossians 3:23). In a world that values shortcuts and quick fixes, may he do what needs to be done to the best of his ability—especially when no one is looking. Let him feel the satisfaction of a job well done and inspire others with his commitment to integrity and excellence. Whatever he chooses to do—from his daily tasks to opportunities to serve others to his future occupation—let his actions always be a sweet, fragrant offering to You.

Amen.

Work willingly at
whatever you do, as
though you were
working for the Lord
rather than for people.

COLOSSIANS 3:23

