

## The Father's Love Letter

You may not know me, but I know everything about you...(Psalm 139:1) I know when you sit down and when you rise up...(Psalm 139:2) I am familiar with all your ways...(Psalm 139:3) Even the very hairs on your head are numbered...(Matthew 10:29-31) For you were made in my image...(Genesis 1:27) In me you live and move and have your being...(Acts 17:28) For you are my offspring...(Acts 17:28) I knew you even before you were conceived...(Jeremiah 1:4-5) I chose you when I planned creation...(Ephesians 1:11-12) You were not a mistake, for all your days are written in my book...(Psalm 139:15-16) I determined the exact time of your birth and where you would live...(Acts 17:26) You are fearfully and wonderfully made...(Psalm 139:14) I knit you together in your mother's womb...(Psalm 139:13) And brought you forth on the day you were born...(Psalm 71:6)

I have been misrepresented by those who don't know me...(John 8:41-44) I am not distant and angry, but am the complete expression of love...(1 John 4:16) And it is my desire to lavish my love on you...(1 John 3:1) I offer you more than your earthly father ever could...(Matthew 7:11) For I am the perfect father...(Matthew 5:48) Every good gift that you receive comes from my hand...(James 1:17) For I am your provider and I meet all your needs...(Matthew 6:31-33) My plan for your future has always been filled with hope...(Jeremiah 29:11) Because I love you with an everlasting love...(Jeremiah 31:3) My thoughts toward you are countless as the sand on the seashore...(Psalm 139:17-18) And I rejoice over you with singing...(Zephaniah 3:17) I will never stop doing good to you...(Jeremiah 32:40)

For you are my treasured possession...(Exodus 19:5) I desire to establish you with all my heart and all my soul...(Jeremiah 32:41) And I want to show you great and marvelous things...(Jeremiah 33:3) If you seek me with all your heart, you will find me...(Deuteronomy 4:29) Delight in me and I will give you the desires of your heart...(Psalm 37:4) For it is I who gave you those desires...(Philippians 2:13) I am able to do more for you than you could possibly imagine...(Ephesians 3:20)

For I am your greatest encourager...(2 Thessalonians 2:16-17) I am also the Father who comforts you in all your troubles...(2 Corinthians 1:3-4) When you are brokenhearted, I am close to you...(Psalm 34:18) As a shepherd carries a lamb, I have carried you close to my heart...(Isaiah 40:11) One day I will wipe away every tear from your eyes and will take away all the pain you have suffered on this earth...(Revelation 21:3-4)

I am your Father, and I love you even as I love my son, Jesus...(John 17:23) For in Jesus, my love for you is revealed...(John 17:26) He is the exact representation of my being...(Hebrews 1:3) He came to demonstrate that I am for you, not against you...(Romans 8:31) And to tell you that I am not counting your sins...(2 Corinthians 5:18-19)

Jesus died so that you and I could be reconciled...(2 Corinthians 5:18-19) His death was the ultimate expression of my love for you...(1 John 4:10) I gave up everything I loved that I might gain your love...(Romans 8:31-32) If you receive the gift of my son Jesus, you receive me...(1 John 2:23) And nothing will ever separate you from my love...(Romans 8:38-39)

Come home and I'll throw the biggest party heaven has ever seen...(Luke 15:7) I have always been Father, and will always be Father...(Ephesians 3:14-15) My question is...Will you be my child?...(John 1:12-13) I am waiting for you...(Luke 15:11-32)

Love.

Your Father - Almighty God