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One Happy days

James -1-18- It was a happy day for him when he gave us our new lives, through the truth of his Word, and we became, as it were, the first children in his new family. {The Way Bible}

Don't you just love it when you read from the Word of God such love that God expresses when he says 'it was a happy day for him when he gave us our new lives!' That's awesome to me, to think that **I made God happy**; I know that God is always happy, but to increase his happiness is beautiful. That you and I actually made God the Almighty Creator happy is incredible, it gives us a greater understanding of the immensity of his love for us. When my first child Maria, was born, there was something in me that changed, I felt like my chest was puffed out with pride and joy, I nearly thought people could see it I felt so happy. I was proud of Rose my wife and proud of myself; I had become a Father and the joy in me felt complete, so I understand what God felt when he created the first man, and then he created us, and this **made him so happy**.

The day was **a happy day** for God, that day when he gave us, that's you and me, **brand new lives** that **made us his own children**.

There are many galaxies, many more than they have discovered up until now, as the space telescope Hubble makes it was through space, every day it sends back to its creators new amazing pictures, including one they called the eye of God, a cosmos that looks to all appearances like a gigantic eye in space. I am one of those people who believe that God didn't just make all that for no reason what so ever, that there are life in other planets different from ours, and if you look at the book of revelations you will read of amazing creatures that surround the throne of God; there are angels cherubim and elders and strange four faced creatures with wings and millions of eyes, and I would not be one bit surprised that they were once beings that God created on different planets. But the thing that amazes me most is that out of all creation, he chose us on planet earth to become the same as him.

Genesis -1-26-And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that crept upon the earth. ²⁷So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them. ²⁸And God blessed them, and God said unto them, be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: {King James Bible}

The joy God expresses in James 1-18 is amazing and when you look at what he actually made it is only then that you begin to understand how incredible that creation is; God said to Jesus, and the Holy Spirit, **"let us,"** that was Jesus and the Holy Spirit, **"make man in our image."**

God had an idea to make a man, and then he thought let us make him just like ourselves, a spirit being who has power to create by the power of his tongue just like God himself. Man was not flesh and blood at this time he was entirely spirit. Can you imagine the excitement in heaven, God was preparing to create a new species, all the angels and cherubim and strange beings and the elders must have been buzzing with excitement, **‘what’s he making,’ ‘what’s he making,’** I can imagine hearing buzzing around heaven, ‘did you see the expression on God’s face as he is sitting down with Jesus and the Holy Spirit to design this new beings,’ I can practically hear being said.

Even as I write this I can feel a sense of excitement and wonder in me growing as I can feel inside of me the feelings the Holy Spirit must have felt when God revealed his idea to him and Jesus.

‘He is making a creation he is calling man,’ said an angelic being, ‘but this one is different than anything we have ever seen before,’ ‘this one is just like himself and Jesus and the Holy Spirit.’ ‘Wow!’ The heavens whispered in awe, **‘someone like himself,’** ‘are you sure?’ ‘Yes,’ the angel replied, ‘I seen the blueprint myself, it is breathtaking, stupendous.’

Now this is all hypothetical as you can imagine but I can almost feel like it is so real.

This is how I feel that may have happened in heaven, maybe it never did, maybe it was even more breathtaking the excitement that God was making a man just like him, and was so very happy in doing it. And as many of us do when we are creating a new thing, never before seen; we are excited as the plan we work to begins to come together and is working, we get excited and sing, because we are so happy; and you can’t help **but sing when you’re happy**, it is a part of you. And I can imagine God singing away in heaven and all the angels are listening in wonder at the sound of God’s voice singing, and this part is not imaginary it is real as the next scripture tells us what happened.

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Zephaniah-3-17-The Lord your God is with you, the Mighty Warrior who saves. He will take great delight in you; in his love he will no longer rebuke you, but will rejoice over you with singing.” {God’s word Bible}

He rejoices over you and me in happy song, singing his heart out. It is awesome to even think that God sings, I never ever thought of God this way until I read this scripture many years ago and it blew my mind when I first read it and it still does even to this day when I read it again. He takes **great delight in you** says his word; people would have you believe that God is disappointed with you, so would your greatest enemy. But God takes great delight in you he even sings over you like a mother sings to her baby in her arms.

In his love he will **no longer rebuke you**, again the enemy would have you believe that you are no good, but **God delights in you**, he **sings over you in happy song**.

The Lord your God is with you, no matter where you go the lord your God is there with you, what a soothing thought, a comforting feeling that the Lord who created us in there with us every moment of the day.

Hebrews-13-20- Now the God of peace, that brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, ²¹Make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ; to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.****

God is making you perfect even in the flesh, which has problems with sinning. Jesus atoned for your sins and my sins and he paid a great price for them, he paid for our sins with his lifeblood. And this is making God pleased, again God is made happy by us his children. As the scripture says, 'which is well pleasing in his sight?' Most Christians don't even think for a moment that we are pleasing to God, never mind making us well pleasing in his sight, through Jesus.

Did you know that God took a piece out of Jesus and made you from that piece, singing away as he done so? God took a piece from Adam and made Eve but the original substance was a part of Jesus, he made us replicas of Jesus; he looked at Jesus and thought I will make man like Jesus so he took a portion of Jesus and cloned it to become man and then took a portion of man and made woman but the two species were the sourced from the same substance- Jesus.

Ephesians-1-4- Because of his love⁵ God had already decided that through Jesus Christ he would make us his children and this was his pleasure and purpose.

This was the pleasure that God got, by making man and woman in his divine image, not too many realise the tremendous significance in that scripture; to even think that you're like Jesus or God seems like blasphemy, unimaginable, but that is fact, not because I say this, no, but because God himself said this; let us make man in our image.

You are what gives God joy and incredible happiness and sure even heaven rejoices over one sinner who repents and turns back to God; imagine all of heaven rejoices when a child of God turns to him again and says sorry for sinning Dad, and a tremendous burst of applause and cheering erupts in heaven as one of his creation turns away from sin and back to his maker, who gave him free will in the first place to love him or reject him. God wants us to love him for who he is not for what he is, just like we do, we want to be loved freely; we don't want anyone being forced to try and love us, do we? Because we know that's not love, love is freely given and received.

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It was a happy day for him when he gave you who read this your new life, and it makes him happier still when we accept that new life and become and act just liked well loved children do, loving our Heavenly Father back in return. And so now we can rejoice also along with God and say I am loved unconditionally.

Amen