

Why Me?

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In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters.

Genesis 1:1-2 (NIV)

Then God said, “Let us make man in Our image, in our likeness, and let them rule over the fish of the sea and the birds of the air, over the livestock, over all the earth, and over all the creatures that move along the ground.”

Genesis 1:26 (NIV)

God saw all that He had made, and it was very good. And there was evening, and there was morning—the sixth day.

Genesis 1:31 (NIV)

God created us so we might _____ His _____

Long before He laid down earth’s foundations, He had us in mind, had settled on us as the focus of His love, to be made whole and holy by His love.

Ephesians 1:4 (MSG)

- So that our lives might be _____
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But God demonstrates His own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Romans 5:8 (NIV)

God created us to _____ His _____

The Lord has made everything for His own purposes.

Proverbs 16:4 (TLB)

For everything, absolutely everything, above and below, visible and invisible, rank after rank after rank of angels—everything got started in Him and finds its purpose in Him.

Colossians 1:16 (MSG)

Your eyes saw my unformed body. All the days ordained for me were written in Your book before one of them came to be.

Psalms 139:16 (NIV)

Many are the plans in a man’s heart, but it is the LORD’s purpose that prevails.

Proverbs 19:21 (NIV)

God created us to spend _____ with _____

For we know that when this tent we live in—our body here on earth—is torn down, God will have a house in Heaven for us to live in, a home He Himself has made, which will last forever.

2 Corinthians 5:1 (TEV)

He has made everything beautiful in its time. He has also set eternity in the hearts of men; yet they cannot fathom what God has done from beginning to end.

Ecclesiastes 3:11 (NIV)

And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, “Now the dwelling of God is with men, and He will live with them. They will be His people, and God Himself will be with them and be their God.”

Revelation 21:3 (NIV)

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