

The Most Natural Way

What if it's all true:

What if all that is was created by a wonderful Being,
more vast and mysterious than the universe itself;
if He formed us and somehow patterned us after himself;
if He loves us as His own children;
if He came to us in person to share our lives,
to deliver us from our wrongness,
to die for us when we couldn't help ourselves;
if this Creator wants to teach us the happiest way to live . . .
What if it's all true?

Look at this beautiful, orderly, intricate world. Look at Jesus Christ - His love, His self-sacrifice. Look at yourself. Without God, do you sense a wrongness inside?

If all the above is true, then how should we be living? Shouldn't we turn to our loving, wise Creator to find the best, the simplest, the most natural way to live?

He has put us here together, His children, to care for each other and to depend on each other. He has given us families, friends, communities. Yet we think and live so selfishly, and so many among us are needy and lonely.

He provides for us beautifully and abundantly day by day. What do we need that His world doesn't provide? Yet we are anxious, fearful, and greedy.

He wants to enrich us in ways we can't even imagine. He wants us to know Him better. He wants each of us to have a face-to-face relationship with Him. Yet we consider Him irrelevant and look right past Him.

Look at the people around you. Look within yourself. Is anxiety and selfishness really the most natural way to live? The most common, perhaps, but the simplest, the most peaceful, the most satisfying? In our smallness and helplessness, is it logical to ignore the One who created us?

The One who gives us day and night, sun and rain, work and rest, the One who conceived and shaped this world of ours, cannot He guide us to the most natural way to live?

Cannot He help you become the person you were designed to be, that you want to be?

Is He not listening if you talk to Him right now?

*I have a personal, constant relationship with
the Lord of all reality.
We converse freely.*

*We walk together in relaxed silence,
like loving Parent and child.
What could be more wonderful than this?*

Hymns:

**[I Want to Know You](#)
[Present Lord](#)**

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