

## The Pleasure of His Presence

Our children don't have to earn our love.  
We love them and  
    consider them beautiful and special  
    just because of who they are.  
God feels the same way toward you.

He wants from you  
what we all want from our children:  
    He wants you to come to Him with your concerns.  
    He wants you to share yourself with Him.  
That's how relationships grow, and  
    God wants a closer relationship with you.

Talking to God is not a ceremony.  
It is not a ritual that has to be done correctly.  
There are no rules or procedures.  
Prayer is simply talking to Someone who is  
    closer to you than any human can be.  
All He asks is for us to talk to Him honestly and  
    believe that He will respond.

Open sharing with the all-mighty, all-loving G will be  
    the joy of heaven.  
Knowing God is the highest pleasure  
    we will ever know.  
Why wait?

You can live in His presence now.  
Even as a believer,  
most of the discontent and anxiety of life  
comes from a heart that  
    sees too little of God.  
Your life can be constantly interwoven with  
    rejoicing,  
    praying,  
    trusting, and  
    giving thanks.  
They can fill your spirit all day long!

**HYMN:** [Heaven Here and Now](#)

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