

This Book Belongs To

The Heart of God

*A 40-day devotional journal
for blessed couples*

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HOW TO USE THIS JOURNAL

Daily Devotion

Meditate and pray over scriptural passages about the heart of God.

“ Man becomes complete through woman’s love.
Woman becomes complete through man’s love.
Man perfects woman, woman perfects man. They
become one through true love.

**In that place, two lives come
together as one, with love at
the center.** ”

Today’s Prayer

Application

Make time to pray with or for your spouse daily to invite God into your relationship.

Today, my spouse asked me to pray about
_____ for them...

God's Heart of HOPE



God, our Heavenly Parent, longed to be embodied in Adam and Eve. Their marriage was to be the ultimate expression of God's love, and their children, born of that love, were destined to expand God's family infinitely. All people were meant to delight God and delight in God's true love.

DAY 1



Once Adam and Eve had attained perfection, God would have blessed them in marriage and He would have become one with the body of Adam and Eve.

Their becoming one in true love would have allowed God to have an embodiment on earth, to have an object partner, and to form a family.



Today's Prayer

DAY 2



Centering on love, heaven and earth, man and woman, God's life and human life, God's lineage and human lineage are united.

Because Adam and Eve would have represented the invisible God in the flesh through their lives, God's presence in the human world would have been substantially manifested in the child, husband and wife, and parents. Through Adam's family, God wanted to have His lineage realized in our families. The love, life, lineage and conscience of the invisible God should have been one with the love, life, lineage and conscience of the visible God in humanity. This unity is realized through marriage.



Today's Prayer

DAY 3



Man and woman were born from love. Thus, marriage is the way for each of us to reach perfection. In order to become perfect, we each need an object partner.

The reason we get married is because each of us is only half of the whole, only half of the world.



Today's Prayer

DAY 4



The love I value above my life is not my own; it belongs to my partner.

That's why a man's wife is the owner of what he possesses, and a woman's husband is the owner of what she possesses. We face each other as owners. ... We are talking about ownership based on love, love that makes all the cells of your body come alive.



Today's Prayer

DAY 5



Loving one another as brothers and sisters sets up the foundation for conjugal love. This path restores three types of love that God had no opportunity to experience: sibling love, conjugal love and children's love. When you harmonize these three types of love in your family, you can give and receive God's love.

Within the family we strive to realize God's ideal of creation.



Today's Prayer

DAY 6



The invisible God, who is the root of love, resides at the center of Adam and Eve's wedding, and heaven and earth unite as one. Their wedding ceremony means that the Heavenly Parent and the earthly parents are united as one, centering on love.

The place where God can reside is the place where man and woman become one.



Today's Prayer

DAY 7



Husband and wife have to be the high priests responsible to protect love.

A couple becomes the high priests who protect love. They are the high priests who pass God's love on to the next generation.



Today's Prayer

DAY 8



The marriage Blessing is for the sake of God and the world. With the Blessing, you can love the world and, as the representative of the world, love the person who is closest to you. ...

Marriage is training to love the world. It is also the path to obtain the qualification to love all people.

Until now, love was restricted to the family; it was between you and me, and thus it was cut off in all directions, and crumbled like sand. ... On the other hand, we do not just stop at making a connection between you and me. We go further: We make a connection with the world and between heaven and earth. From here, the kingdom of heaven will be established and the new lineage will start.



Today's Prayer

DAY 9

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When you are united as one in love, you can say God belongs to me. It means that everything that belongs to God is mine. In this way, I can make mine the God who created heaven and earth. This is the highest standard of human desire. I can also make all things in heaven and on earth mine. Therefore, I am in the position of a prince or a princess.

Getting married means to inherit the authority of the monarch in the kingdom of heaven, standing in the position of a prince or a princess.

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Today's Prayer

DAY 10



The first human beings should have grown to maturity while building a foundation of love for God that they would not have exchanged even for the entire universe. ...

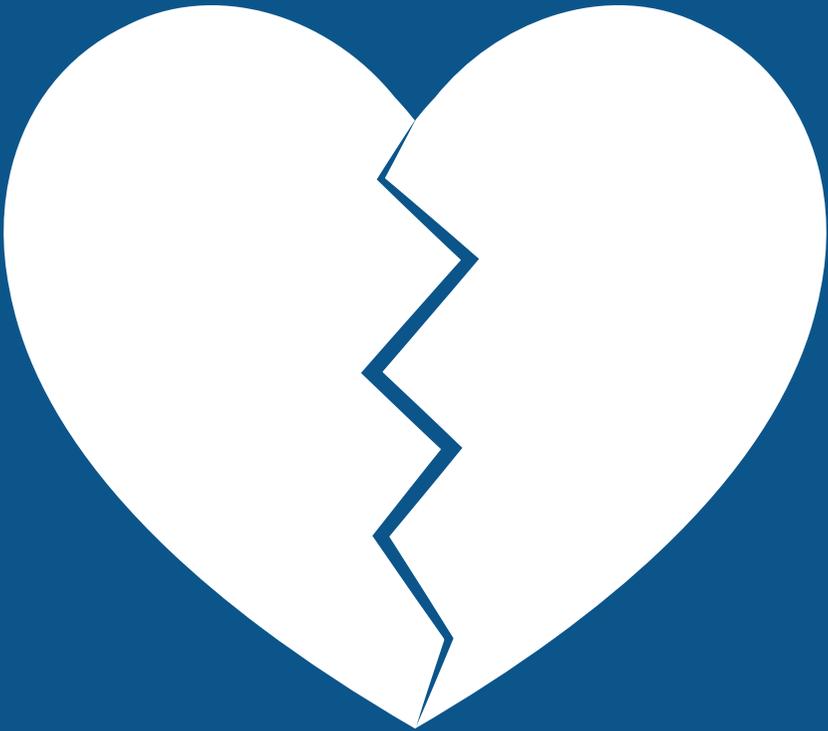
Had the first human beings done this, they would have become the standard of love for all existing beings and for all things of creation in heaven and on earth.

Then, any being that connected to their love would have been able to reach that standard.



Today's Prayer

God's Heart of **GRIEF**



When Adam and Eve fell away from God, his heart and hope were shattered. God lost his children, who no longer reflected his love or hope. Violence and chaos became the norm, as relationships formed for reasons other than selfless, true love. Heartbreak became commonplace.

DAY 11



Adam and Eve, who were the ancestors of all human beings, fell due to false and immature love. Based on self-centered love, the archangel intervened in their relationship and caused the Fall. As a result, God was in exile and Adam and Eve banished. By introducing a love connection that was not permitted by God, humankind came to bear original sin.

It is the enormous responsibility of humankind to remove this original sin.



Today's Prayer

DAY 12



God's era, in which He hoped to complete His Will, disappeared without a trace because of the Fall. The Fall brought fundamental destruction to the place where He had created all things in hope. Everything that He had planned, the realm of His ideal object partners of eternal love, was violated and destroyed at the root. How sorrowful God must have been when Adam and Eve committed the Fall and disappeared from His presence. They were to have been God's ideal partners, embodying God's pure original love.

How bitter God's grief must have been over losing them.



Today's Prayer

DAY 13

“ **The pure love of Adam and Eve as True Parents should have been passed down eternally through their lineage.**

However, Adam and Eve married without establishing a pure lineage, so we have to restore the absolute lineage, the realm of absolute ownership, and an absolutely pure heart through the Blessing.

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Today's Prayer

DAY 14

“ God’s enemy deprived Him of His throne.

Unable to become the God of glory, He was left to preside over a history of sorrow.

Although God most certainly is the King of His kingdom and King of the universe, He has been treated with contempt, as if He were dead. Meanwhile, all His beloved children were violated and the planet Earth became the enemy’s playground.

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Today’s Prayer

DAY 15



As a result of the Fall, God became the Parent who lost His children.

Is there any father or mother who delights in his or her own glory while their children are in prison? It is the same for God; it fills Him with endless pain.



Today's Prayer

DAY 16



God created everything in the universe for human beings, but as a result of the Fall, God had to hand his children over to Satan's authority.

From the moment He lost His beloved object partners, God, the Lord of true love, became infinitely lonely.



Today's Prayer

DAY 17



God and human beings should be together for eternity.

Can we imagine God's pain and indignation when the first human beings separated from Him? Can we comprehend His bitterness and sorrow?



Today's Prayer

DAY 18



God wants His partners of love to be better than Himself. His beloved partners are none other than us, human beings.

Nonetheless, we lost that privileged value and instead came to struggle throughout our lives. How miserable God must feel when He looks at us!

He thinks, “They were meant to be My direct children, inheriting My love, My life and My lineage. But now they are struggling as victims who moan and lament in pain and wander in despair until the end of their lives.”



Today's Prayer

DAY 19



When you are comforted by someone who has more reason to be upset than you, you can find some consolation in that.

However, God has no one to comfort Him, because He has more grievances than anyone in the world.



Today's Prayer

DAY 20

“ Adam and Eve lost their foundation to establish absolute faith, absolute love and absolute obedience to God when they entered into a false marriage.

As a result, they turned their lineage upside down, lost their realm of ownership, and their family came to ruin. Thus, the restoration of lineage is needed.

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Today's Prayer

God's Heart of PAIN



After the Human Fall, God's sole effort and desire was to find the man and woman who could reconnect humanity to God's heart and recover the beautiful world of true love. Through the ages, the enemy has defied God, fighting to retain dominion and blocking the appearance of this true couple.

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Human beings became thoroughly degraded through the Fall, which blocks them from returning to God.

However, God is alive and He feels sadness when He looks at humanity. This is why He sent the Messiah to this world.



Today's Prayer

DAY 22

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God will create a united world by establishing the order of love in the family, the nation, the world and God through the Messiah on earth, who demonstrates the example of good character. ...

As re-creation is being realized, the world is becoming one and Satan's evil world is giving way to the heavenly world.

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Today's Prayer

DAY 23

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How did God continue His providence of salvation for tens of thousands of years without becoming exhausted? It is not because He is all-knowing and almighty.

It is because He has been walking the path of love for the sake of His beloved sons and daughters.

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Today's Prayer

DAY 24

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God is the alpha and the omega. A knot of bitterness remains in the depths of His heart. How can He resolve it?

This has been God's deep, inner anguish. Under these circumstances God has carried out the providence of restoration to this day.

The spirit world transcends time and space; hence, even the sorrow of six thousand years ago can persist forever throughout the realms formed by the ages of history.

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Today's Prayer

DAY 25

“ It is the power of love that has enabled God to triumph over a path of tribulation,

feeling as if a thousand years were just one day.

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Today's Prayer

DAY 26



Is God deserving of pity or not? Many people doubt that the all-knowing and almighty God needs to be pitied.

However all-knowing and almighty He may be, nothing can alleviate the shock of having lost His beloved children.

If there had been a way for God to find relief from that shock by Himself, He would not have had to suffer through a six-thousand-year course of history.



Today's Prayer

DAY 27

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God knows the state of people who sin. He cares about humanity rather than Himself. He comes in sorrow to sorrowful people, in suffering to suffering people, and in sympathy with those feeling victimized and angry.

How much have you empathized with God's situation?

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Today's Prayer

DAY 28



If you have ever experienced the joy of devoting yourself as a true offering, you will never forget that experience for the rest of your life.

With the passage of time, more and more people will recognize and respect you for your offering. The breadth and depth of your offering will increase, and you will be ever more deeply connected with the infinite Origin. When you have such mystical experiences, you will recognize that God's sorrow has not been merely momentary, but has continued up to the present day.



Today's Prayer

DAY 29

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You should know that for tens of thousands of years, even millions of years, God has cried out for us, “My son and my daughter!” Have you ever ardently called out to God, “Father!” until your throat becomes hoarse and your tongue dry, until you cannot breathe and your eyes cannot open?

How earnestly have you struggled to embrace that standard, which is that of the Subject of life? Your character is measured in proportion to your efforts to do this.

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Today's Prayer

DAY 30



Because humanity was born from false parentage, unless a love connection emerges that is from true parentage, this original sin cannot be removed.

In order to remove the false love and original sin that were sown by false parents, True Parents must create a new foundation of love.



Today's Prayer

God's Heart of **NEW HOPE**



In our time, God has prevailed and a True Adam and a True Eve have finally appeared. They have engrafted a new generation to God's lineage, commencing a new era of hope. These newly engrafted people who have rekindled God's hope are called "blessed couples."

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Originally, if Adam and Eve had reached the perfection stage in the Garden of Eden, they would have received the marriage Blessing. However, due to the Fall, the marriage Blessing centered on God was not realized. Therefore, God had to work through 4,000 years of history to raise up the Israelites, to whom He sent the Messiah. He intended to give the marriage Blessing at the time of Jesus, but again the marriage Blessing was not realized. As a result, the providence of the Blessing had to begin anew at the advent of the Third Adam, upon his laying a successful foundation in the nation and world. The marriage Blessing of the Third Adam was a historic event.

From the creation of the world until then, there had never been a time when God's love, life and lineage were tied together.



Today's Prayer

DAY 32



Love begins with investment. True love begins with the act of giving.

This is a universal principle. ... The heart of a man wanting to marry a woman and of a woman wanting to marry a man comes from the universal force.



Today's Prayer

DAY 33



People do not need to study in order to know how to love.

When a man and woman marry, they don't need someone to teach them how to behave on their wedding night. In the world of insects there is no sex education, but they know very well what to do, and human beings are the lords of creation. There is no one who is incapable of conjugal love, so no education for that is necessary. If God had made men and women to need such education in order to love and become complete, then God would not be omnipotent. Without a need for sex education, you know the way of love. By practicing it, you obtain a qualification that can transcend heaven and earth, the whole world of creation.



Today's Prayer

DAY 34



Your organ of love is more important than your brain. The origin of true love is not in your brain. The origin of true lineage is not in your brain. Where is that origin? It is in the reproductive organ.

Everything is in the reproductive organ. ... It is the original palace of love.

We find also the root of life and of lineage residing there. This is the most precious place, not only in the human body but also in the world and throughout history. Without it, the multiplication of humankind would be impossible.



Today's Prayer

DAY 35

“ **There is only one true love. The first love must be that which unites one husband and one wife.**

There absolutely must be only one true love. This is what absolute sex means. Absolute sex will eliminate the attraction of “free” sex.

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Today's Prayer

DAY 36



When a husband enters his wife's room,

he steps into the chamber of the only queen in heaven and on earth.

Likewise, when a wife relates to her husband,

she steps into the palace where she attends the king.



Today's Prayer

DAY 37



The place where the husband and wife make love is the palace of joyous union. When they are in that place, they are not envious of anyone's royal throne or heaven's citadels of happiness.

It is this way because this is where everything begins.



Today's Prayer

DAY 38

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A husband and wife should always be together as one. Whenever they go somewhere, they should sit together, not separately. They should be able to resonate with each other at any time, day or night.

**Other than married couples,
no one else can have such a
relationship.**

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Today's Prayer

DAY 39



When you blessed couples embrace and love your babies, you should keep in mind the purpose for which your children were born.

You need to understand they were born for God, out of your relationship with God.

Even though you may be intimate with your precious husband or wife and share secrets together, your relationship is not of your own design. You were brought to each other while walking on the public path of the heavenly Principle. God was involved in tying you together.



Today's Prayer

DAY 40

“ The dividing line between happiness and misery is determined by how close and how intimate our relationship is with Heaven. An individual can bear with his or her own downfall but will not accept that the family goes to ruin. A husband needs his wife more than anyone else in the world, and a wife needs her husband more than anyone.

Therefore a husband and wife must always encourage each other, support each other and become each other's companion in life. ”

Today's Prayer

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