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What's in a Name?

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Jacob – “Supplanter”


Isaac – “He Laughs”

Jesus – “God Rescues”

Isaiah 43:1 – “But now, O Jacob, listen to the LORD who created you. O Israel, the One who formed you says, ‘Do not be afraid, for I have ransomed you. I HAVE CALLED YOU BY NAME; YOU ARE MINE [you belong to Me].’”

LORD = “YAHWEH”

**“But now, O Jacob, listen to the LORD who created you
[and ALWAYS has been with you].”**



“The One who formed you”

Psalm 139 – “You made all the delicate, inner parts of my body and knit me together in my mother’s womb. Thank You for making me so wonderfully complex! Your workmanship is marvelous – how well I know it. You watched me as I was being formed in utter seclusion, as I was woven together in the dark of the womb. You saw me before I was born. Every day of my life was recorded in Your book. Every moment was laid out before a single day had passed.”



**“Don’t be afraid, for I have
RANSOMED YOU.”**

Ransomed = Heb. “Ga’al”
to buy back, set free, rescue and save

JESUS is our REDEEMER – the One who has bought us back from the sentence of death, set us free from the charges brought against us by our sins and rescued us from a life without God. He did all of this by giving His life for you and me!



“I have called you by name”

John 10 – “The one who enters through the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. The gatekeeper opens the gate for him, and the sheep recognize his voice and come to him. HE CALLS HIS OWN SHEEP BY NAME and leads them out. I am the Good Shepherd; I know My sheep and My sheep know me – just as the Father knows Me and I know the Father –and I lay down My life for the sheep.”



Dad & Me

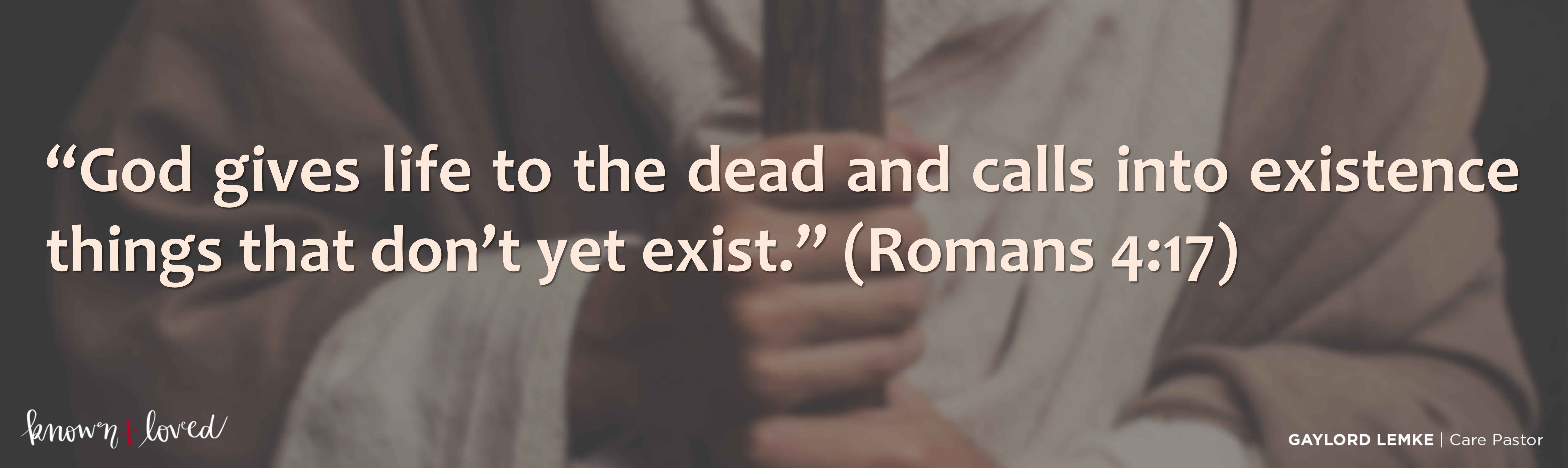
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“God gives life to the dead and calls into existence things that don’t yet exist.” (Romans 4:17)

**[I will] “give them crowns instead of ashes, the oil of joy instead of tears of grief, and clothes of praise instead of a spirit of weakness. They will be called Oaks of Righteousness, the Plantings of the LORD, so that He might display His glory.”
(Isaiah 61:3)**

“If ANYONE is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here! For we are God’s MASTERPIECE. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things He planned for us long ago.”

(2 Corinthians 5:17, Ephesians 2:10)



“YOU are MINE [You BELONG to Me].”

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A relationship with God made possible by Jesus FULLY satisfies our need to be KNOWN and to BELONG!

“YOU are MINE [You BELONG to Me].”

*To be KNOWN and to BELONG
is the ANTIDOTE for FEAR!*

“YOU are MINE [You BELONG to Me].”

*To be KNOWN and to BELONG
is the ANTIDOTE for INSECURITY!*



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