

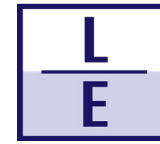
God Steps In

Hebrews 4:13 NLT

Nothing in all creation is hidden from God. Everything is naked and exposed before his eyes, and he is the one to whom we are accountable.

Hebrews 4:14-16 NLT

So then, since we have a great High Priest who has entered heaven, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold firmly to what we believe. This High Priest of ours understands our weaknesses, for he faced all of the same testing's we do, yet he did not sin. So let us come boldly to the throne of our gracious God. There we will receive his mercy, and we will find grace to help us when we need it most.



Lake Effect
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Modern Family: A Seat at the Table
Part 8: Come Out of Hiding

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Payless Shoes and You

Spiritual formation is a process of being formed into the image of Christ for the sake of others.

Robert Mulholland Jr., *Invitation to a Journey*

“we can only love others as much as we love ourselves”

Brené Brown, *The Gifts of Imperfection*

We can only connect to others to the degree we are connected to ourselves.

Brené Brown

Matthew 22:39 NLT

A second is equally important: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.

Adam and Eve

Genesis 3:9-10 NLT

Then the Lord God called to the man, “Where are you?”
He replied, “I heard you walking in the garden, so I hid.
I was afraid because I was naked.”

Genesis 2:25 NLT

Now the man and his wife were both naked, but they felt no shame.

Psalm 38:8 NLT

I am exhausted and completely crushed.
My groans come from an anguished heart.

Genesis 3:11 NLT

“Who told you that you were naked?” the Lord God asked.

Hiding

Psalm 51:5-6 NLT

For I was born a sinner — yes, from the moment my mother conceived me. But you desire honesty from the womb, teaching me wisdom even there.

Shame and fear will produce control.

Psalm 38:4-5 NLT

My guilt overwhelms me—
it is a burden too heavy to bear.
5 My wounds fester and stink
because of my foolish sins.