

An Interview with God

I dreamt that I had an interview with God.
"So you want to interview me?" God asked.
"If you have time." I said.

God smiled.

"My time is eternity...what questions do u have in mine for me?"
"What surprise you about humankind?"

God answered...

"That they get bored with childhood,
they wish to grow up and then long to be children again."
"They lose their health to make money...
and then lose their money to restore their health."
"That by thinking anxiously about the future,
they forget the present such that they live in
neither the present nor the future."
"That they live as if they will never die,
and die as though they had never lived."

God's hand took mine and we were silent for awhile.
And then I looked and asked, "As a parent, what are some
life lessons you want your children to learn?"
"To learn that they cannot make anyone love them,
all they can do it let themselves be loved."
"To learn that it is not good to compare themselves to others."
"To learn to forgive by practicing forgiveness."
"To learn that it only takes a few seconds to open profound
wounds in those they love, and it can take many years to heal them."
"To learn that there are people who love dearly, but simple do not yet
know how to express or show their feelings."

"Thank you for your time" I said humbly, "Is there anything else you'd like you children to
know?"

God smiled and said... "Just know that I am here." "Always."

Even if...

Your heart is breaking
Your mind is unclear
Your tired and restless and full of fear
Come to me-
even if

You say words you shouldn't
You don't do things you should
You doubt and try to change,
but never think you could.

Come to me-
even if

You thought an evil thought
You thought the thought again
You turned the thought to action and now your bound in sin.

Come to me-
even if

You say "But I knew better, I belong to you"
Child, I am not surprised by anything you do.

I made you in my image I fashioned you with care,
When you cried tears into your pillow, remember I was there.

I have always been and always will I be.

For even when you do those things, you still belong to me.

Even if you do these things, Oh child, don't you see?

Even if, even if, you still can come to me.

There is a secret place I have created where you may seek my face,
this place I have for you is called "The Father's Warm Embrace"

And when I have held you in my arms and rocked you, listening closely to your fears,
I will place you on my lap and wipe away your tears.

Then, I will smile. A smile to let you know I am pleased.

For when you hurt and when you sinned, still- you came to me.

So, do not draw back from me my child,

I am Abba Father to you, remember in my word I said -Behold,
I make all things new.

I will forgive you, heal you, restore you,
I will shower you with grace.

I will never turn my back to you, but you will see my face.

On your journey home, when I see you I will run.....

Even if, Even if, My child, even if just come.