Jesus proved that He has taken away our sin and has made this relationship possible for you and your family. Three days after He died, He rose from death to a new, glorious, awesome life. If you trust in what Jesus has done on the cross, God looks on you as His child. If you turn to look at God and say you are sorry and want to be in a relationship with Him, He will smile on you.

You can enjoy a new life of blessing and peace in a relationship with God.

You can speak to God for yourself by saying:

"The Lord bless me and keep me; the Lord make His face shine on me and be gracious to me; the Lord turn His face toward me and give me peace".



May you know much joy in your family as you consider this new life before you.



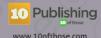
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Youn New Baby



Many, many congratulations on the arrival of your new baby. We hope that the coming days, weeks and months will be a really special time for you as a family to enjoy getting to know one another.



It is truly remarkable to realise that even before this little person was born they were already intensely motivated to be in a relationship with you. At birth, they already recognise your voice and will turn their head towards you. Later, they will seek to look you in the eyes. They start to smile at you as soon as they can. They mirror your expressions. They love it when you coo their noises back to them. All these things can happen in just the first few short months of life.

It is wonderful how they strive and learn to relate to you. We hope that when this little person turns towards you and smiles at you that you will enjoy those moments and treasure them. They can give you such joy.

As your family grows, this could be a really good time to think about what this life is about. What is the purpose of your new baby's life? What is the purpose of your life?



The Bible says that each person is wonderfully and fearfully made by a wonderful, fear-inducing, awe-inspiring God. Each person is made to relate to others, and this reflects how God has made each person to be in a relationship with Him. God wants to love you and bless you. That is His purpose for you and for your little one.

In the Bible, there is a blessing that God gives. It says:

"The LORD bless you and keep you;

The LORD make his face shine on you and be gracious to you;

The LORD turn his face toward you and give you peace." (Numbers 6:24–26)

Every time your baby turns their face towards you, it feels like your whole world lights up, like the sun shining on you. But, this is nothing compared to the light of God turning His face towards you in love.

God longs for you to look up and turn to Him. He loves you and He wants you to love Him in return.

God has always wanted to be in a relationship with you. But, we have all turned our backs on Him, choosing to go our own way and reject Him. This is what the Bible calls "sin". As a result, our relationship with God is broken.

The good news, though, is that God's very own Son, Jesus Christ, has made this relationship possible again. Wonderfully, Jesus Himself was born as a baby and the purpose of His life was to bring you to God. When Jesus died on the cross He dealt with the sin which separates us from God. If we put our trust in His death, and turn from our own way to God's way, then God promises forgiveness and the hope of eternal life.

