

DOES GOD HAVE A HEART?



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Sometimes we wonder if God has a heart.

Starving children, hospitals bombed to smithereens, thousands languishing in refugee camps. Millions without a home.

Tyrants everywhere you look.

Greed sucking up the world's wealth.

Does God have a heart?

Yes, God has a heart.

A broken heart!



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But who's paying attention?

As he hangs there dying, even his "followers" walk by with hearts of stone, pursuing their own agendas.

But why are those women weeping?

*All we like sheep have gone astray.
We have turned every one to his own way.
And the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all.*

Isaiah 53:6

He hangs there so that, on a day known only to God, there will be no more starving children, no need for hospitals, no refugee camps, no one without a home..

No tyrants.

No greed.

He hangs there so that even now

And you and I can exchange our heart of stone for a heart of flesh.



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God has a broken heart.

Do we?

*Create in me a clean heart, O God,
And renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from thy presence,
And take not thy Holy Spirit from me!
Restore unto me the joy of thy salvation,
And uphold me with thy free Spirit!*

Psalm 51:10-12



*Psalm 34:18, "YHWH is near to the broken-hearted and saves the crushed in spirit."
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Prayer

Have mercy, Jesus, O Holy one.. O broken hearted Saviour...acquainted with the grief, the sorrow and the hurts of this world that we ourselves have inflicted. It is you who was crushed for our iniquities. It is you who saves the crushed in spirit. It is you who draws near to the broken hearted. Mercifully, by your wounds we are all healed. Heal us now. Exchange our hearts of stone for hearts of flesh. Make us a people of mercy. Make us a people with your tender, wounded heart.

Maranatha Mirror Messages



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