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Unfiltered is for the young and the hungry—the ones who refuse to settle for surface-level answers when life demands something deeper.

It's for those young people craving divine truth for the issues that keep their generation up at night.

It's for the dreamer tired of being told to wait their turn. It's for anyone who's ever felt like God must have more to say than what the world has handed down to them.

So here's what we're about: straight talk from God to your generation. No fluff. No filler. No agenda but the truth—uncomfortable when it needs to be, yet always, always filled with faith.

We're not here to tell you what to think. We're here to hand you something rare: a space where you can encounter God and His truth without the performance, without the pressure, and without the filter.

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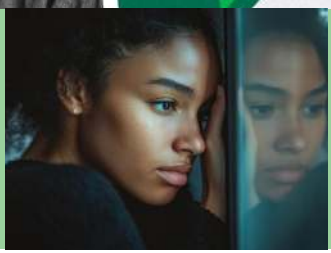
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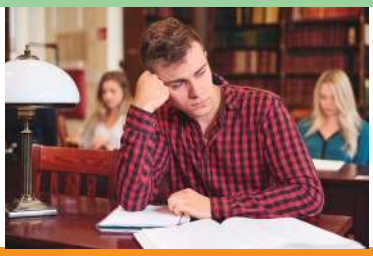


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## Real Talk Guide to Self-Acceptance

You catch a glimpse of yourself in the mirror, and instead of appreciation, you feel a familiar pang of disappointment. The comparison game has been running on repeat in your mind—measuring your face, your body, your personality, your life against the filtered, curated versions of everyone else. You scroll through social media, and suddenly, you feel like you don't measure up, like there's something fundamentally wrong with who you are. Maybe you've even whispered it to yourself in the quiet moments: "I just don't like me." It's a painful confession, one that many carry silently, believing that if they could just be someone else, they would finally be happy. But here is the liberating truth that the world will never tell you: your value was never meant to be found in your performance, your appearance, or anyone else's approval. God didn't make a mistake when He created you; He looked at you and called you good. So before you scroll past this or convince yourself that this message isn't for you, pause and consider this foundational, life-changing reality

Not liking "you" is an indication of low self-esteem, and if you don't deal with it, you'll be a victim in life. It's very important that you "like" yourself; become comfortable with who you are, because that's the first step to becoming who

God wants you to be in life.

When Jesus said to love others like you love yourself in Mark 12:31, He meant that loving others starts with loving yourself first. You may ask, "What's there to love about me?" A lot! Just the thought that God loves you should make you fall in love with yourself. Quit trying to be someone else; love yourself, because God loves you the way you are, even with your seeming "imperfections."

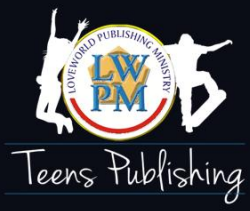
## There's Something Good About You

God the Father created you in His image and in His likeness. He made you to look like Him and function like Him; that means you're good enough for Him and there's something beautiful about your life. James 1:17 CEV says "Every good and perfect gift comes down from the Father who created all the lights in the heavens. He is always the same and never makes dark shadows by changing." You just need to look within yourself, and you will begin to see the beautiful things about you. It may be the attention you pay to keeping your space neat and organized. Or your ability to fix a gadget everyone has abandoned and termed "damaged-beyond-repair." Even if it's only one good thing you can find, it's enough for you to like yourself, because that thing is from God (Philemon 1:6).

## Develop Yourself

Stop criticizing yourself or measuring your "weaknesses" against the strengths of others. Just like you, they also have areas in their lives that they're working on. Focus on developing that good thing in you






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