

WELCOME TO THE FEAST

Where you are the dream, not just the dreamer.



YOUR INVITATION

A person is shown from the chest down, wearing a light blue long-sleeved shirt. They are sitting at a table covered with a light-colored, textured tablecloth. In their right hand, they hold a gold-colored pen, writing on a white rectangular card. The card is placed on a brown paper envelope. To the left of the card, there are some small white flowers and greenery. The background is slightly blurred, showing more of the table and the person's hands.

Where: The Table

Who: The Hosts

What: The Meal

Why: The Seeds

THE TABLE



WE ALL CAME WITH A
DREAM AND THE
HUNGER TO SUCCEED,
BUT...



GOD, MY SHEPHERD!
I DON'T NEED A THING.
YOU HAVE BEDDED ME DOWN
IN LUSH MEADOWS,
YOU FIND ME QUIET POOLS
TO DRINK FROM.

TRUE TO YOUR WORD,
YOU LET ME CATCH MY
BREATH
AND SEND ME IN THE RIGHT
DIRECTION.



EVEN WHEN THE WAY GOES
THROUGH
DEATH VALLEY,
I'M NOT AFRAID
WHEN YOU WALK AT MY SIDE.
YOUR TRUSTY SHEPHERD'S
CROOK
MAKES ME FEEL SECURE.



YOU SERVE ME A SIX-
COURSE DINNER
RIGHT IN FRONT OF MY
ENEMIES.
YOU REVIVE MY DROOPING
HEAD;
MY CUP BRIMS WITH
BLESSING.



YOUR BEAUTY AND LOVE
CHASE AFTER ME
EVERY DAY OF MY LIFE.
I'M BACK HOME IN THE
HOUSE OF GOD
FOR THE REST OF MY LIFE.



THE HOSTS



FATHER



GARDENER



COMFORTER



EPHESIANS 1:1-6, 12

How blessed is God! And what a blessing he is! He's the **Father** of our Master, **Jesus** Christ, and takes us to the high places of blessing in him. Long before he laid down earth's foundations, he had us in mind, had settled on us as the focus of his love, to be made **whole** and holy by his love. Long, long ago he decided to adopt us into his family through Jesus Christ. (What pleasure he took in planning this!) He wanted us to enter into the celebration of his lavish gift-giving by the hand of his beloved Son... you were sealed in Him with the **Holy Spirit** of the promise.



THE GARDENER



REVELATION 3:20

Behold, I stand at the door and knock; if anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and will **dine** with him, and he with Me.



JOHN 14:23

If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my father will love him and we will come to him and make our **home** with him.





THE MEAL



Focus



Trust





JOHN 6:27

Work for the food that sticks with you, food that nourishes your lasting life, food the Son of Man provides. He and what he does are guaranteed by God the Father to last.





JOHN 6:35

I am the bread of life.
Whoever **comes** to
Me will never **hunger**,
and whoever
believes in Me will
never **thirst**.





MEANINGS

Come – focus is eating.

Believe – trust is drinking.





JOHN 6:51

I am the living
bread that came
down from heaven.
If anyone **eats** of
this bread, he will
live forever.



THE SEEDS



WE ARE SEEDS



BROKENNESS

Was not our destiny, it was not our identity, and it was not God's will. It was why we failed to see the growth we desired. People were trying to achieve their dreams, cracked and broken, despite a lot of water and fertilizer.

From How to Build A Big Unbreakable Life



No amount of inspiration,
motivation, or perspiration could
create life from a fractured seed.
But the tiniest of seeds could
grow into the mightiest of trees.
Wholeness was the key to life,
not effort.

From How to Build A Big Unbreakable Life



1 THESSALONIANS 5:23

May God himself, the God who makes everything holy and **whole**, make you holy and **whole**, put you together—spirit, soul, and body.



Hope Is
A seed

Sprouted unseen, unknown.
Stretched green blades declare life
Like pennons on a battlefield.
A full head establishes legacy
Until fruitfulness revives the
landscape.
The soil smiles in quiet triumph
The seed has won again.

Dr. Jane



WE ARE EATING TOGETHER

- There are no more powerless pawns.
- There are no more lone rangers.
- Our dreams mesh wonderfully.

THANK YOU!

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