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DAILY DEVOTION

GOD IS THE ORIGINAL PARENT

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EPHESIANS 3:15 AMPLIFIED 15 For Whom every family in heaven and on earth is named-- [that Father] from Whom all fatherhood takes its title and derives its name.

Barclay translates verse 15, "of whose fatherhood all heavenly and earthly fatherhood is a copy,".

The meaning is that the whole human idea of family and fatherhood owes its origin to God the Father."

A Bible Commentary says, "He is also the One from whom alone all the fatherhood that there is derives its meaning and inspiration. From Him it derives its existence and its concept...."

What does this all mean?

God is the original Father, the original parent, and everything good that has ever been in any parent is just a copy of what was first in God. God looks upon you as a good parent looks upon their child.

Psalms 103:13

[13]As a father pities his children, So the Lord pities those who fear Him. According to the experts, love in Psalm 103:13 means "deep love, cherishing, to behold with tenderest affection."

There has never been a parent who loved their child more than God loves you.

Prayer: Thank you God, for being my Father, and loving me more than my earthly father in JESUS name, Amen!