

A scenic landscape featuring a sunburst in the upper right corner, casting rays over a range of mountains. The foreground is filled with vibrant pink and purple flowers. A semi-transparent dark box is overlaid on the image, containing the text.

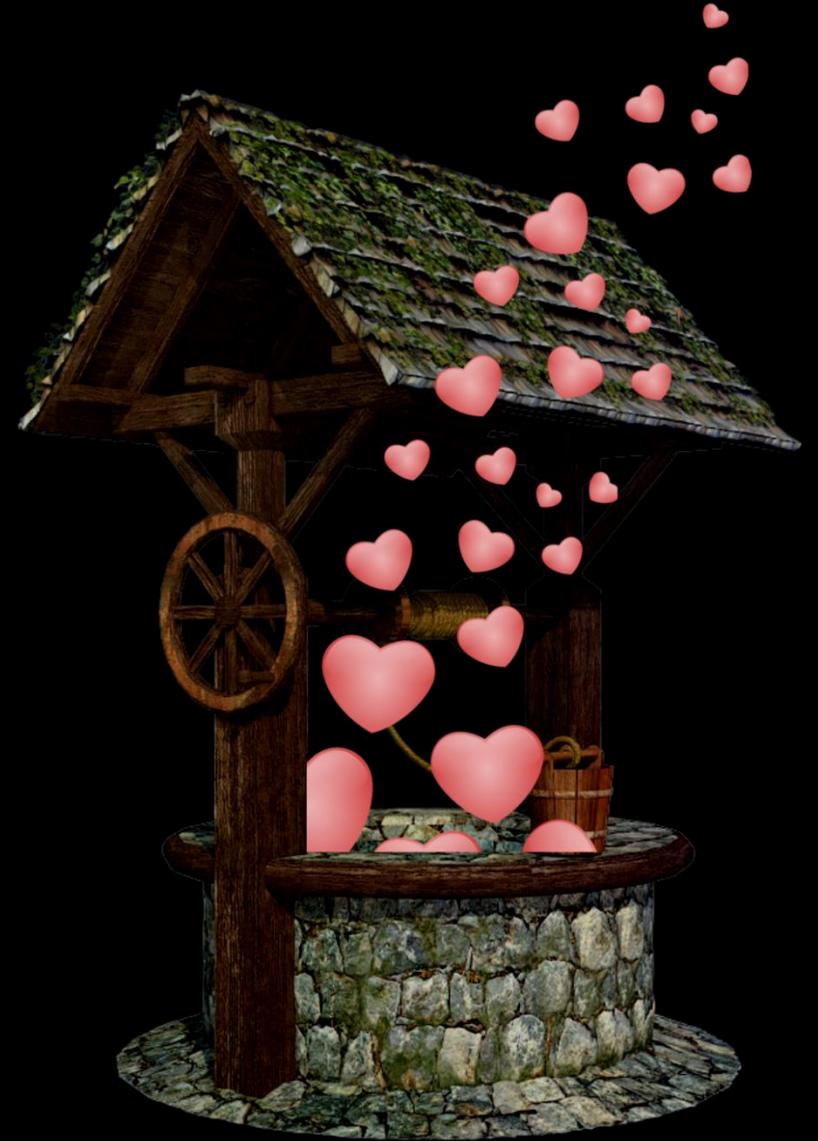
Announcements

- May 28th Woman's Craft Party! 10am at the Hommas' House.
- June 4th Duvall Days – Take up the mission! Sign up!
- June 12th Visiting Stillwater Church 10:30 am

Love Well

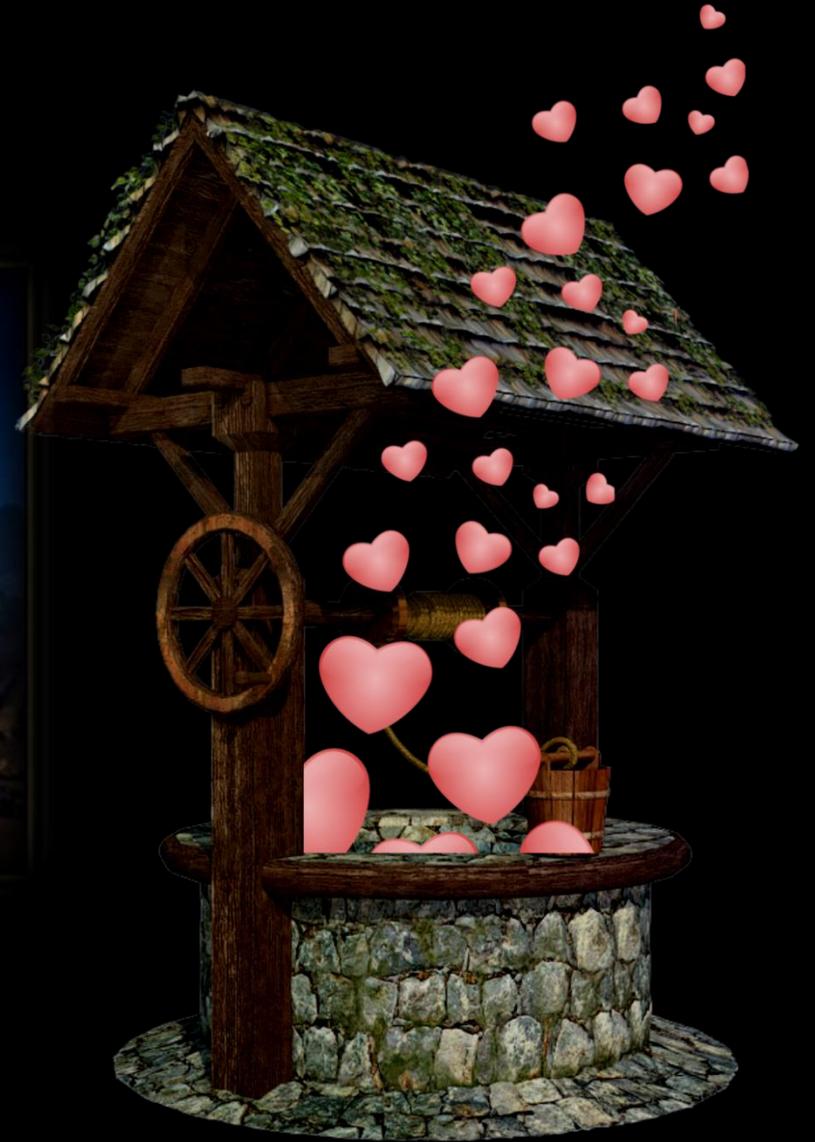
“Really Loving God”

*Im in love, Im in love, And
I don't care who knows! it*



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Is God a Person?



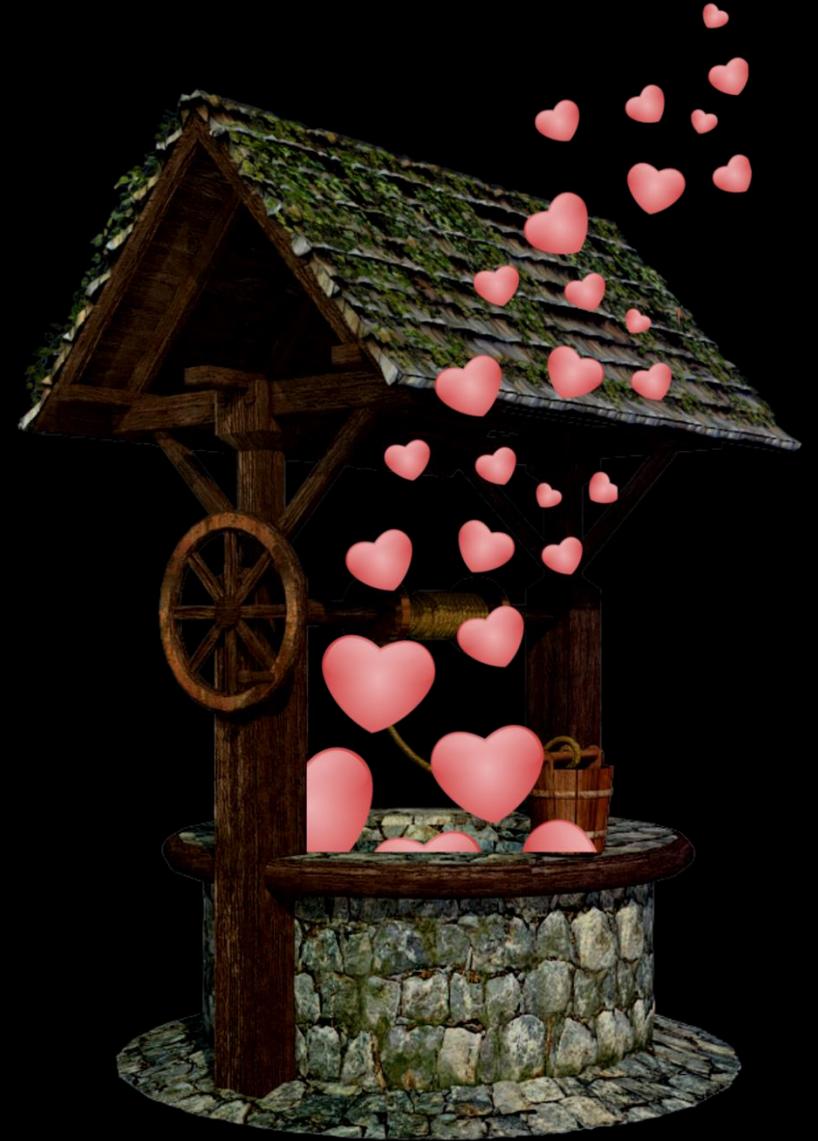
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If I treated people in my life
like I treat God, would they
feel loved?



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How does God want to be loved?



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How does God want to be loved?

- Thanksgiving – I see how He loves me

Psalm 103:1-5

Praise the Lord, O my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name.

2 Praise the Lord, O my soul, and **forget not all his benefits** — 3 who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases, 4 who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion, 5 who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's. NIV



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How does God want to be loved?

- Thanksgiving – I see how He loves me
- Obedience – I love you enough to trust your lead

John 14:15 If you love me, you will obey what I command. NIV



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How does God want to be loved?

- Thanksgiving – I see how He loves me
- Obedience – I love you enough to trust your lead
- An Undivided Heart - Being completely satisfied with Him

Psalm 42:1 As the deer pants for streams of water,
so my soul pants for you, O God. NIV



Ps 63:1-5

O God, you are my God, earnestly I seek you; **my soul thirsts for you, my body longs for you**, in a dry and weary land where there is no water.

2 I have seen you in the sanctuary and beheld your power and your glory.

3 Because **your love is better than life**, my lips will glorify you.

4 I will praise you as long as I live, and in your name I will lift up my hands.

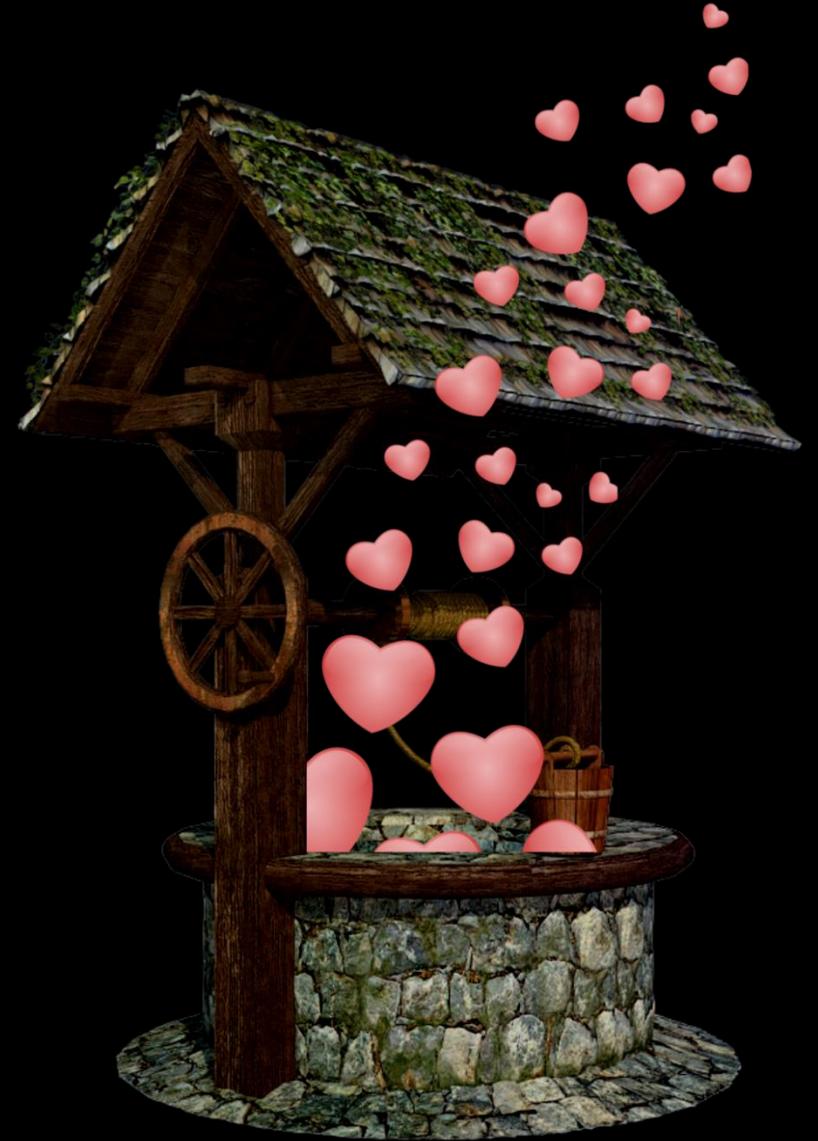
5 **My soul will be satisfied** as with the richest of foods;
with singing lips my mouth will praise you. NIV



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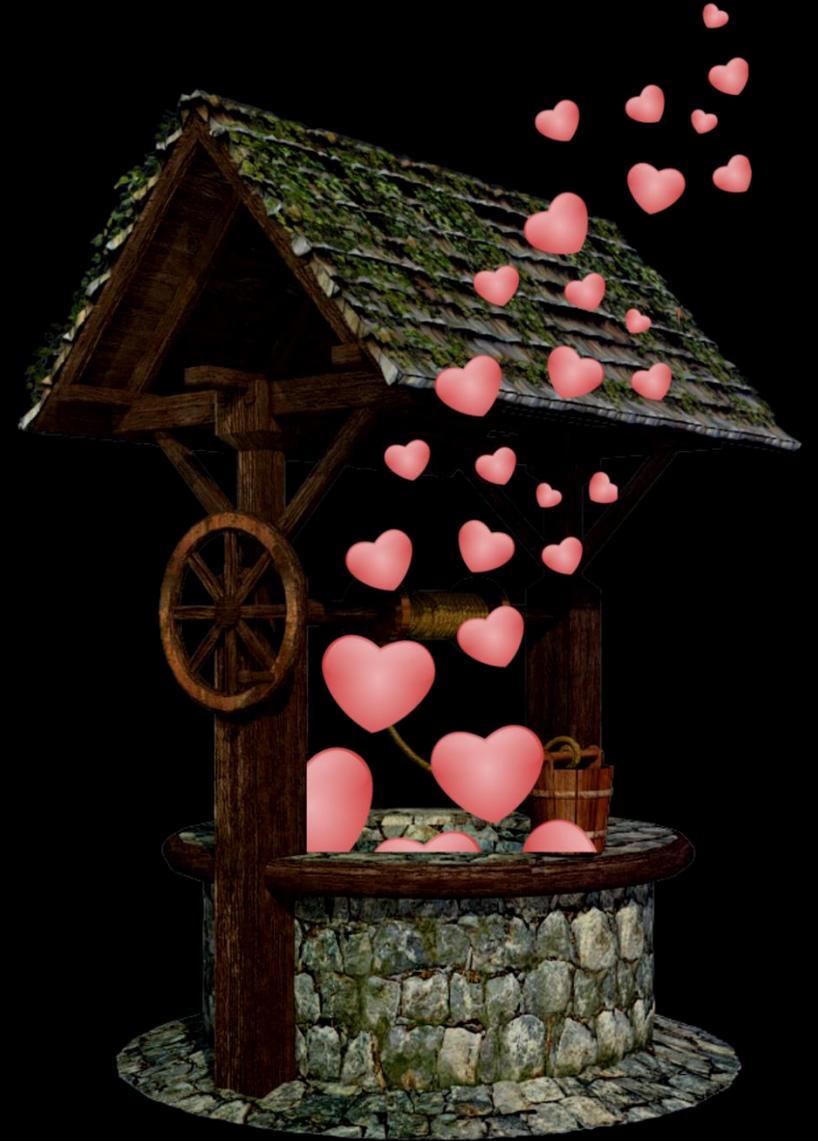
What other lovers
might we be turning to?



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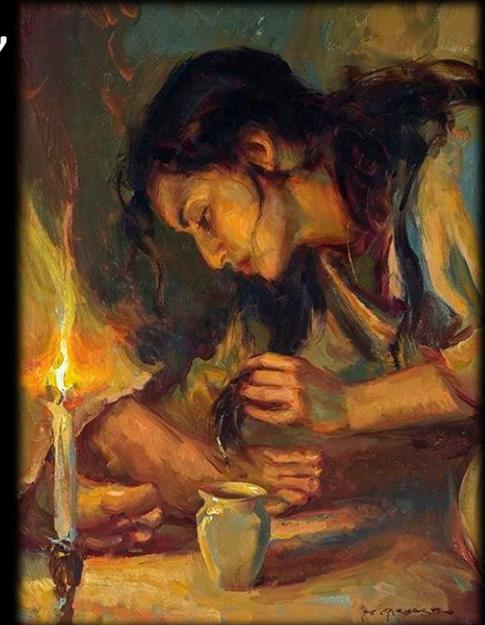
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He is most glorified in us when we are
most satisfied in Him.



Luke 7:36-50

36 Now one of the Pharisees invited Jesus to have dinner with him, so he went to the Pharisee's house and reclined at the table. 37 When a woman who had lived a sinful life in that town learned that Jesus was eating at the Pharisee's house, she brought an alabaster jar of perfume, 38 and as she stood behind him at his feet weeping, she began to wet his feet with her tears. Then she wiped them with her hair, kissed them and poured perfume on them. 39 When the Pharisee who had invited him saw this, he said to himself, "If this man were a prophet, he would know who is touching him and what kind of woman she is — that she is a sinner." 40 Jesus answered him, "Simon, I have something to tell you." "Tell me, teacher," he said. 41 "Two men owed money to a certain moneylender. One owed him five hundred denarii, and the other fifty. 42 Neither of them had the money to pay him back, so he canceled the debts of both. Now which of them will love him more?" 43 Simon replied, "I suppose the one who had the bigger debt canceled." "You have judged correctly," Jesus said.



44 Then he turned toward the woman and said to Simon, "Do you see this woman? I came into your house. You did not give me any water for my feet, but she wet my feet with her tears and wiped them with her hair. 45 You did not give me a kiss, but this woman, from the time I entered, has not stopped kissing my feet. 46 You did not put oil on my head, but she has poured perfume on my feet. 47 Therefore, I tell you, her many sins have been forgiven — for she loved much. But he who has been forgiven little loves little."

48 Then Jesus said to her, "Your sins are forgiven."

49 The other guests began to say among themselves, "Who is this who even forgives sins?"

50 Jesus said to the woman, "Your faith has saved you; go in peace."

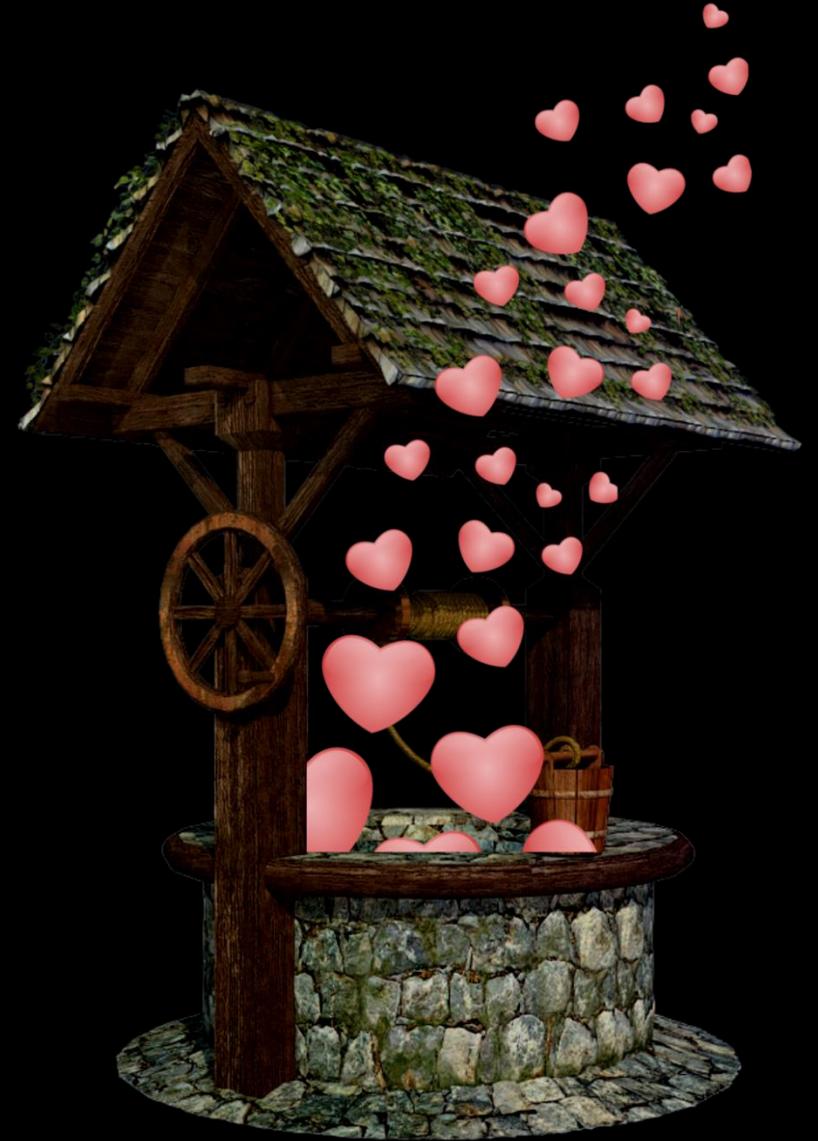
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What if you could say this
about God?

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And I don't care who!
knows it*



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God, how can I
choose You today?

