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Introduction:

I hope by now you feel welcome in this space, hearing the songs about the Love of Jesus, the Gospel good news and God's power to save and to redeem us. The abiding truth that we want you to receive is that God's Eyes, Ears and Heart have been towards you and in every episode in the life and time of you, He has seen, heard and loved you.

Here at the Well, we've immersed ourselves the writings of John — the disciple who calls himself the beloved one. From chapters 8 to 12 and we've wrestled with the overarching question being asked "Do you see, can you hear, and do you believe? We studied the ways in which Jesus shows us how to truly see Him at work, hear Him speaking to us and believe Him and follow Him. From the woman He rescued from stoning and the judgement of the Pharisees, to the blind man He healed, to those that heard Him and believed and to the family of Martha, Mary and Lazarus who experienced Jesus as the resurrection and the life. Jesus gave evidence of who He is again and again.

If seeing is believing, and hearing builds faith, believing was to follow Jesus in faith. And those that followed Him continue to see proof after proof of Jesus' power and also His great love for those He heals and ministers to. Perhaps equally or more powerful was the Word that He spoke and still speaks to us. Those who came to know the Lord Jesus upon hearing Him for the first time,

experienced something divinely destined for them. And that is still true today.

But today...

this Easter message is not another question. **It's heaven's answer. You are seen, you are heard and you are loved by God.**

Seen

How Does God see me?

- **He sees me because He's always known me**

Jeremiah 1:5 (NKJV)

5 "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you;
Before you were born I sanctified you;
I ordained you a prophet to the nations."

- **He sees me because He's always watching me**

John 1:47-48 (NKJV)

47 Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward Him, and said of him, "Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom is no deceit!"

48 Nathanael said to Him, "How do You know me?"

Jesus answered and said to him, "Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you."

- **He sees me because He's been looking for me**

Luke 15:4-6 (NKJV)

4 "What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he loses one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness, and go after the one which is lost until he finds it? 5 And when he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders, rejoicing. 6 And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and neighbors, saying to them, Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep which was lost!"

Heard

How does God hear me?

- **He hears me because He's always listening**

Psalms 34:4-7 (NKJV)

4 I sought the LORD, and He heard me,
And delivered me from all my fears.

5 They looked to Him and were radiant,
And their faces were not ashamed.

6 This poor man cried out, and the LORD heard him,
And saved him out of all his troubles.

7 The angel of the LORD encamps all around those who fear Him,
And delivers them.

- **He hears the inner me**

Psalms 139:1-4 (NKJV)

For the Chief Musician. A Psalm of David.

1 O LORD, You have searched me and known me.

2 You know my sitting down and my rising up;
You understand my thought afar off.

3 You comprehend my path and my lying down,
And are acquainted with all my ways.

4 For there is not a word on my tongue,
But behold, O LORD, You know it altogether.

- **He hears my reasons and my experiences**

Exodus 3:7 (NKJV)

7 And the LORD said: "I have surely seen the oppression of My people who are in Egypt, and have heard their cry because of their taskmasters, for I know their sorrows.

This Easter Message is a reply to that question; do you see, can you hear and do you believe? The answer from heaven for your life is that you are indeed seen, heard and Loved by God.

Loved

Perhaps the most important thing to God in proving His love for us is not the 411 he has on us or the 911's he rescues us from. But before there were any 911's and before was any 411 on us, He decided to love us—knowing full well that we wouldn't love Him first.

How does Jesus Love us?

- **He loves us intentionally**

Romans 5:6-8 (NKJV)

6 For when we were still without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly. 7 For scarcely for a righteous man will one die; yet perhaps for a good man someone would even dare to die. 8 But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

- **He loves us sacrificially.**

John 15:13 (NKJV)

13 Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one's life for his friends.

- **He initiates with unconditional love**

1 John 4:19 (NKJV)

19 We love Him because He first loved us.

Close

The fundamental question is Do you see, can you hear and do you believe, that you are seen, heard and loved by God?

You don't have to fight for God's attention. You already have it. You don't have to earn God's love It's already been proven. You don't have to wonder if He hears you. He's been listening all along. You've seen what He can do. You've heard what He has said. Now will you believe...that He did it all for you?

1 John 1:9 (NKJV)

9 If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Do you see, can you hear and do you believe, that you are seen, heard and loved by God.