

Uniquely Created  
(Psalm 139:13-16)

For it was You Who created my inward parts; You knit me together in my mother's womb; I will praise You, because I have been remarkably and wonderfully made; Your works are wonderful and I know this very well. My bones were not hidden from You when I was made in secret, when I was formed in the depths of the earth; Your eyes saw me when I was formless; all my days were written in Your book and planned before a single one of them began (Psalm 139: 13-16). These verses are the most beautiful expressions of who we are; they reveal God's involvement in creating each one of us and also in planning our days and writing them on a book even before we were born. To think that our Creator cared so much for us to the point of planning our future is worth the consideration of the importance why we were created. None of us is a result of an accident. This way of thinking is pure human ignorance leading to an excuse to abort or kill the unwanted babies. If we stop to think how God is involved in forming and creating a baby in the womb of a mother, many babies would have been saved. Abortion in itself is a plan from the devil, for it is a spirit of rebellion against God; it is the destruction of His creation, his plan for each conceived life. Satan desires all humans to be dead, so when we abort a baby, we are siding with the devil's plan and against God. Imagine if Mary had aborted her baby out of fear and worry because she had not yet been married; that would have been a mistake that would hunt her for the rest of her life. God, the master of life, is the One Who forms our formless body, as He knits us in the womb of our mother. He is the One Who breathes the breath of life giving us life. Nothing about us is hidden from Him; He is very much involved in all the details of the body in perfect wisdom. Men can not completely comprehend the depth of the complexity of the human body; it is beyond their scientific minds to embrace the wisdom of God; that's how uniquely we were created.

Why wouldn't we feel special knowing that we are a miracle performed by God? The nine months plus are days when a mother experiences the reality of this miracle, by feeling and seeing the baby grow and expressing life in her womb. Who can fathom such wisdom? As the Psalmist expressed, God, how difficult Your thoughts are for me to comprehend; how vast their sum is! If I counted them, they would outnumber the grains of sand (Vs. 17a). God's love is spread to us from the beginning of life until our death; He demonstrated His love for us in many ways and above all when He offered His own Son as a sacrifice for our redemption; He did not do that for the fallen angels, neither for any other creature of the animal kingdom; so this refutes the idea of evolution; we did not come from a monkey millions of years ago. This too is from the pit of hell to diminish the importance of the human race. In the creation of the world and everything in it, God orderly created animal and creatures according to their kind; although, we are members of the animal kingdom, when God created man, He said, Let Us make man in our image, according to Our likeness; so God created man in His own image; He created him in the image of God; He created them male and female (Genesis 1: 26-27).

We are uniquely made and considered unique in our Lord's eyes. We were created in God's image and nothing else in all the created creatures and nature were uniquely created. He has said, I have imprinted you in the palms of My hands; (Isaiah 49: 16); I have loved you with an

everlasting love (Jer. 31:3a); you have been sustained from the womb, carried along since birth. I will be the same until your old age, and I will bear you up when you turn gray; I have made you, and I will carry you; I will bear and save you (Isaiah 46:3,4). This bond started even before He was giving form to our formless body and planning our destiny. He is aware of our ways, He is aware of every word we will say before we say it, He knows what is in our heart; no place we go that He is not there. In the days of Adam, before he sinned, this bond was strong and beautiful. He would walk in the garden at the time of the evening breeze to converse with Adam and Eve; there was a relationship that could have been forever; but Satan had to destroy this bond with the mark of sin. It was broken and from then on, men become an enemy of God. Although still wonderfully made, men no longer are perfectly aligned with God's plan and purpose He has for them. We are subject to the deformities of body and mind brought on by the curse of sin and under its condemnation. But our God in His infinite and unconditional love, has provided a way to free us from the condemnation from sin, and has given us life eternal with Him in heaven, where once again we will be perfect in body and soul, perfect in relationship with Him. That is the unlimited extension of His love for us. But those who are enveloped by the darkness of their rejection of God's love will face eternity without Him in a place of agitation, groans, cries, remorse without end.

Created in the image of God and redeemed by the blood of God's Son, we believers in Him have the responsibility to live a life that brings glory to Him, by loving Him with our life and devotion to Him in obedience and in gratitude for having created us and partaking of His image to us. We can start by recognizing how unique we are and how important we are to God, believing how wonderfully we were created by Him, as His word says, no matter how we came to exist. We need to rise up from the condition of self-rejection to our position in Christ YAHSHUA to fulfill His purpose and plans which have been written in His book.