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You Are Not Ordinary: A Treasure Within

Sometimes, it feels like the world only celebrates loud people, perfect selfies, flashy talents, or viral fame. If you're not the loudest in the room or the most followed online, it can feel like you don't count. But hear this truth: **You carry treasure inside you. Yes, YOU.**

God doesn't make mistakes. He handcrafted you with care, laced your personality with purpose, and planted greatness in your spirit. You may not see it all yet, but heaven does. Your laugh, your thoughts, your kindness, your curiosity, your ideas, they're all ingredients of something powerful.

2 Corinthians 4:7 says, *"But we have this treasure in jars of clay to show that this all-surpassing power is from God and not from us."* That means you've been given something valuable and eternal, something the world didn't give and can't take away.

Don't hide your shine. Don't shrink to fit into someone else's mold. Don't compare your behind-the-scenes with someone else's highlight reel. You were made to **stand out**, not blend in.

Keep growing. Keep learning. Keep trusting Jesus. When life tries to dim your light, remember who lit it in the first place. **You are set apart. You are royalty. You are a change-maker.**

Lift your head high. There is more inside you than you know.

Love from the TiEV Team