



EACH DAY HOLDS A SURPRISE. BUT ONLY IF WE EXPECT  
IT CAN WE SEE, HEAR, OR FEEL IT WHEN IT  
COMES TO US. LET'S NOT BE AFRAID TO RECEIVE  
EACH DAY'S SURPRISE, WHETHER IT COMES TO  
US AS SORROW OR AS JOY. IT WILL OPEN UP A  
NEW PLACE IN OUR HEARTS, A PLACE WHERE WE CAN  
WELCOME NEW FRIENDS AND CELEBRATE  
MORE FULLY OUR SHARED HUMANITY.

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