

Sometimes God Doesn't Want You to *Date*

Sometimes He
wants you to sit
down and let
Him work.

*"Seek first the kingdom
of God and His
righteousness, and all
these things will be
provided for you."*

Matthew 6:33

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There Is Nothing Wrong With *Wanting Love*

*Am I supposed
to be single
forever?*

There comes a point in singleness when the desire for companionship can become very real.

Not desperation. Not dysfunction. Not an inability to enjoy your own life. Just desire.

You want someone to come home to. Someone to laugh with. Someone to pray with. Someone to build with. Someone who knows what happened during your day without you having to start the story from the beginning every time.

You want partnership. You want intimacy. You want to be chosen. You want marriage.

And there is nothing inherently wrong with wanting any of those things.

You can deeply love God and still desire a husband or wife. You can be grateful for your life and still want someone to share it with. You can be whole and still desire partnership. You can enjoy your singleness and still admit that you do not necessarily want to remain single forever.

Those truths can exist together.

God, have You
forgotten about me?

When Desire Turns Into *Urgency*

Desire is healthy. But when desire turns into urgency, it can start to shift our focus. We begin to move out of anxiety instead of alignment.

We start asking, "What if I miss it?" "What if it never happens?" "What did I do wrong?" And in that place, we can sometimes make decisions we would not normally make.

We lower our standards. We ignore red flags. We entertain people who are not aligned. We try to help God by making something happen that He never assigned us to chase.

When we move out of urgency, we start making choices that create more heartache instead of healing.

What If This Season *Is Not Empty?*

Just because you are single does not mean this is a wasted season. It does not mean God forgot about you. It does not mean you are behind. It does not mean something is wrong with you.

Sometimes the season is not empty. It is intentional.

God may be developing areas of you that need to be healed, strengthened, or refined before He brings the right person into your life.

You cannot become the person you are praying to be while constantly being distracted by people who are not part of your assignment.

Ecclesiastes 3:1 —

There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens.

Sometimes the Assignment Is to *Sit Down*

Sometimes God doesn't
want you to date.

Sometimes He wants you
to sit down and let Him
work.

Sit down and let Him
heal what still hurts.

Sit down and let Him
show you what you need
to unlearn.

Sit down and let Him
realign your heart.

Sit down and let Him
remove the people, places,
and patterns that are not
for you.

*Stillness is not the absence
of movement. It is obedience.*

Give God *Your Yes*

Letting God work may not feel exciting, but it is necessary. It requires a level of surrender that says, "God, I trust You even when I do not understand."

It means saying yes to the process. Yes to the healing. Yes to the boundaries. Yes to the uncomfortable goodbyes. Yes to becoming the woman He created you to be.

When you give God your yes, you create the space for His best, not just what looks good or feels good in the moment.

Romans 12:2

*Do not conform to the pattern of this world,
but be transformed by the renewing of your mind.*

Stop Making *Love Happen*

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forever?*

You do not have to make love happen. You do not have to chase what God has asked you to trust Him with.

That does not mean you can never date or meet people. It means dating should come from alignment, not anxiety.

There is a difference between being open and being frantic, between intentionality and striving, between participation and control.

Let people reveal themselves. Take your time. Watch the fruit. Pay attention to consistency. Notice character. Listen when peace leaves. Do not rush intimacy because you are tired of waiting.

And please do not abandon yourself just because somebody finally chose you.

Being chosen is not the same thing as being chosen well.

*Let people reveal themselves.
Take your time. Watch the fruit.*

Prayer

God, thank You for understanding every desire of my heart.

Thank You that I can want love and still trust You.

Help me to surrender my timeline to Your plan.

Teach me to sit down and let You work.

Heal what still hurts.
Remove what is not for me.

Give me wisdom, discernment, and peace.

Help me to become the woman You created me to be so that I am ready for what You have for me.

In Jesus' name, Amen.

Grace Note:

*Your season is not a punishment.
It is a preparation.*

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An Alignment Check

Before you chase, before you say yes, before you get frustrated or feel discouraged—pause and check in. Alignment creates peace. And peace always leads to better choices.



- 01 Am I seeking love from a place of peace or a place of pressure?
- 02 Have I been trying to make something happen that God has not assigned me to chase?
- 03 What do I need God to heal, teach, or remove in this season?
- 04 Am I becoming the woman He created me to be with or without a relationship?
- 05 What would it look like for me to sit down and let God work?

The Reading Room



The Reading Room is a space to be reminded,
to be real, and to be renewed.

Here you'll find biblical truth, everyday encouragement,
and practical tools for the seasons that shape us—
whether you're healing, waiting, rebuilding, or becoming.
Each piece is written to meet you where you are
and point you back to the One who never leaves.

Take what you need. Let it speak to your season.
And remember, you are not alone.



*Healing deeply.
Thinking biblically.
Living courageously.™*

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