

“LIFE THROUGH THE LENS”



THE RIGHT PLACE

A pallet of rocks. A heap of rocks. Previously just rocks on a property, but once collected by volunteers at a retirement village (about thirty-seven pallets in fact) these rocks became a focal point of what will be a magnificent garden of Australian native plants.

Picked over; rolled around; eyed off; sized up, and carefully put in the right place by caring hands; each rock became an integral part of a waterfall, a creek bed, a lily pond, a stretch of rapids, a stone wall, a sheltered fire pit.

In this day of celebrity worship, sports person stardom, corporate ladder climbing and a society with a “look-at-me” selfie attitude, it is so easy to see ourselves as “just part of the pile”. Mixed up, strange shape; mentally and physically never to be of much value anywhere or to anyone. WRONG!

We have all been designed as someone special. You may not think so, or feel so. But God in love says so. This is what Jesus tells us; says to you. “And He (God) knows the number of hairs on your head! Never fear, you are far more valuable to him than a whole flock of sparrows. Luke 12:7.

Now also think about this, also from God’s Word. “And I am sure that God who began the good work within you will keep right on helping you grow in his complete and forgiving love, until his task within you is finally finished on that day when Jesus Christ returns.”

Now do this. Take a selfie while you say, “I am a person of value and God has a place for me in His great plan. Jesus, please help me find that place”. Trust that God sees and hears you.

God bless,

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