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WE ARE FROM THE QUARRY

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Isaiah 51:1

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Remember the Rock

“Listen to Me, you who pursue righteousness and seek the Lord: look to the rock from which you were cut, and to the quarry from which you were dug.”

Isaiah 51:1

Your present shape does not erase your origin. God knows where He found you and what He is forming in you.

You Are a Mineral Resource

A stone in the quarry may look ordinary, but the master builder sees value, strength and purpose hidden inside it.



God did not extract you without intention. He saw what you could become in His house.

VALUE BEFORE VISIBILITY

Costly Stones for the Foundation

“The king commanded them to quarry large, costly stones to lay the foundation of the temple with dressed stone.”

1 Kings 5:17

The foundation carries weight. God prepares dependable people before He entrusts them with visible responsibility.

Prepared at the Quarry



“The stones used in the construction of the temple were finished at the quarry. No hammer, chisel or iron tool was heard at the building site.”

1 Kings 6:7

Public placement follows private preparation. The noise of shaping belongs to the quarry, not the finished temple.

The Work of Shaping

Solomon appointed burden bearers, stonecutters and overseers for the work.

2 Chronicles 2:2

BURDENS

Some seasons develop endurance.

CUTTING

God removes what cannot remain.

OVERSIGHT

God uses accountable leadership.

What the Quarry Represents

Spiritual refinement	God uses pressure and hardship to purify faith and character.
Transformation	The rough stone becomes useful through cutting, shaping and polishing.
Foundation of faith	Preparation produces stability for a life that can carry spiritual weight.
Divine purpose	God selects and positions each believer according to His design.

Living Stones in God’s House

“As you come to Christ, the living Stone, you also are being built together as living stones into a spiritual house.”

1 Peter 2:4–5

We are shaped individually, then joined together. A stone fulfils its purpose when it takes its place in the building.

When God Removes What Cannot Remain

Quarrying changes the stone. The process may remove familiar habits, unhealthy attachments, pride, fear and self-reliance.

“No discipline seems pleasant at the time, but painful. Later it produces a harvest of righteousness and peace.”

Hebrews 12:11

Do not mistake the cutting for rejection. The Master Builder is preparing the stone.

Job Surrendered to God’s Purpose



“I know that You can do everything, and that no purpose of Yours can be withheld from You.”

Job 42:1–2

Job’s suffering brought him to humility. He stopped demanding an explanation and acknowledged God’s power, wisdom and unstoppable purpose.

Our Response in the Quarry

01	**Remember your source**	Grace found you in the quarry.
02	**Submit to the process**	Let God shape character before position.
03	**Trust the design**	Nothing surrendered to God is wasted.
04	**Take your place**	Serve faithfully as part of His spiritual house.

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A QUARRY DECLARATION

I am chosen by God. I will not despise the place of preparation. I surrender to the Master Builder. Every cut will serve His purpose. He is shaping me into a living stone for His house.

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