Holy: Holy Curiosity - Dr. Mark Batterson

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> "It is the GLORY OF GOD to CONCEAL THINGS. It is the GLORY OF KINGS to SEARCH THINGS OUT." —Proverbs 25:2

"Solomon, although he excelled in the glory of treasure and magnificent buildings, of shipping and navigation, of fame and renown, yet he maketh no claim to any of those glories, but only to the GLORY OF INQUISITION OF TRUTH, as if, according to the INNOCENT PLAY OF CHILDREN, the Divine Majesty TOOK DELIGHT to HIDE his works, in the end to have them FOUND OUT; as if kings could not obtain a greater honor than to be God's PLAYFELLOWS in that GRAND GAME."

Good - Tov - "to delight"

"God is most glorified in us, when we are MOST <u>SATISFIED</u> in Him."

—John Piper

"Never lose a HOLY CURIOSITY."

—Albert Einstein

"Solomon spoke 3,000 PROVERBS and his SONGS numbered 1,005. He spoke about PLANT LIFE, from the CEDAR OF LEBANON to the HYSSOP that grows out of walls. He also spoke about ANIMALS and BIRDS, REPTILES and FISH. From all nations people came to listen to Solomon's wisdom, sent by all the kings of the world, who had heard of his wisdom."

—I Kings 4:32-34

"Since the CREATION of the world, God's INVISIBLE QUALITIES—His ETERNAL POWER and DIVINE NATURE—have been clearly seen, being UNDERSTOOD from what has been made."

—Romans 1:20

"The whole earth is crammed with HEAVEN, and every bush afire with God, but only he who <u>NOTICES</u> takes off his shoes. The rest of us sit around and PLUCK BLACKBERRIES."

-Elizabeth Barrett Browning

"There are only TWO WAYS to live your life. One is as if NOTHING is a miracle. The other is as if EVERYTHING is."

—Albert Einstein

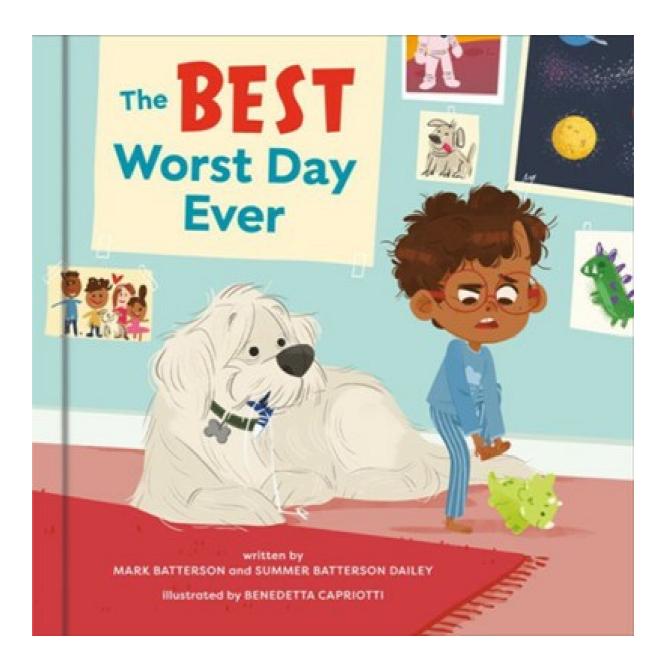
"Go to the ANT, STUDY HER WAYS, and be wise."

—Proverbs 6:6



"Eternity won't be long enough, to learn all that God is or praise God for all that He has done."

-A.W. Tozer



Rules of Life:

Everyone is my superior in some way, in that I learn of them.

Everyone is fighting a battle I know nothing about.

Creativity starts with Holy <u>Curiosity</u>: may God give you an INSATIABLE HUNGER for His WORD & His WORKS!

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