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So many of us have broken pieces in our lives. Some of us have lives that have been shattered. God can take the broken pieces of your life and make something beautiful out of it.

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The Bible tells us that God created us from the dust of the ground. We are literally made of clay. “And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.”—Genesis 2:7.

God created us perfect and without fault. However, Adam sinned against God and because of that, we are all born into sin, and the curse of death is upon us. “Nevertheless death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over them that had not sinned after the similitude of Adam’s transgression, who is the figure of him that was to come.”—Romans 5:14.

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