



I COULD HAVE HAD A GOAT PARTY!

"All I have is yours..."

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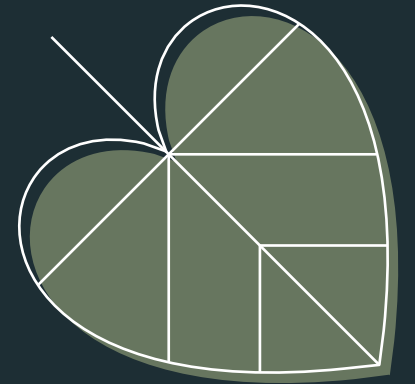
What!!





“ALL I HAVE IS YOURS!”

- What? A party for him!?
- Why don't we know what's ours? Why don't we celebrate?
- Take some time to imagine: We're the elder brother. Our dad has just told us "all that we have is ours!" How do we enter that invitation?



1. REALISE WHAT YOU HAVE

- You are always with me – what does that mean?
- All I have is yours – what does that mean?

2. ATTITUDE SHIFT - LETTING GO OF...

- Entitlement and resentment
- Frustration
- Disappointment
- Weight of responsibilities

- Choosing gratitude - Celebration needs to be a part of the rhythm of our lives - even in the hardest times!

3. CELEBRATION TAKES WORK



Initiative



Planning and
preparing



Cleaning up

4. THE SOCIAL COMPLICATIONS

- Forget comparison and envy – what a painful waste of time!
- Invest in community and friendship – be the party maker
- Balance exclusive and inclusive celebration
- How could you celebrate with everyone? (Do you want to find common ground with people who piss you off? Would you sing and dance with “your enemy”?)

A misty morning scene with a large evergreen tree in the foreground, a body of water, and a distant structure. The scene is captured in a soft, hazy light, suggesting an early morning walk. The text "SATURDAY MORNING WALK" is overlaid in white, serif font on the left side of the image.

SATURDAY
MORNING WALK

A photograph of a paved road winding through a landscape of bare, tangled bushes and dry grass. The scene is shrouded in a thick, white fog that obscures the background, including distant hills. The lighting is soft and diffused, creating a misty atmosphere. The road is on the right side of the frame, leading the eye into the distance. The bushes on the left are dark and intricate, with some small white droplets visible on their branches.

SHINING DROPLETS
AND BIRDSONG

A landscape photograph featuring a body of water in the middle ground, a bright sky with a sun or moon in the upper left, and dark, silhouetted trees and branches in the foreground. The text is overlaid in the center.

“IT’S AMAZING THAT THIS IS SO
AVAILABLE!”
