Let's Meet Early

"Let's meet early- just you and me. Before the chaos. Before the noise. Before the house wakes up. Coffee, Quiet & Connection.

— I sat down, Messy bun. Pajamas. Bible open. Coffee warm in my hands. "Okay im here" I whispered.

And I felt him say "I've been here. I'm glad you came".

Then I heard the sound. Tiny feet. One sleepy toddler with bed head whispering "Can I snuggle you?" — I looked up and said, "Just a minute Jesus.."

But one snuggle turned into breakfast…. A spill… a missing shoe.. The day had started and I said "im sorry I'll come back."— He gently responded " I'll be right here."

I turned on worship music in the car. Whispered prayers over snacks. Held back tears in the Laundry room over frustration.
And I heard him say "This counts too".

"I don't need your perfect morning, I want your heart — right where it is. In the car, in the chaos, in the middle of motherhood. "

At 9pm when the house was quiet i said "Did I miss it??" And He said "Never. I've been here all day. Right here, still with you, still for you.

Because Thats who HE is. Not keeping score, Not giving up. Just faithfully showing up. He doesn't need my performance, he just needs my presence. ❣️

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