

MARY DID YOU KNOW

Dear Friends:

Way back in 1986, Max Lucado wrote one of his first of over 55 books. The title was *“God Came Near”*. He had a very unique chapter entitled *“Twenty-Five Questions for Mary”* (the mother of Jesus). Below is part of the chapter from Lucado; read it and ponder.

- What was it like watching him pray? How did he respond when he saw other kids giggling during the service at the synagogue?
- When he saw a rainbow, did he ever mention a flood?
- When he saw a lamb being led to the slaughter, did he act differently?
- Did you ever see him with a distant look on his face as if he were listening to someone you couldn't hear?
- How did he act at funerals?
- Did you ever try to count the stars with him...and succeed?
- Did he have any friends by the name of Judas?
- Did he ever have to ask a question about Scripture?
- What do you think he thought when he saw a prostitute offering to the highest bidder the body he made?
- When someone referred to Satan, how did he act?
- Did his other brothers and sisters understand what was happening?

In Christ,

Pastor Mike

Prayer: Dick Fisher (bronchitis recovery), Linda Gentzel (knee replacement), recipients (foster care children) of “My Very Own Blanket” project.