

# HOW BINA BECAME GOD'S FRIEND



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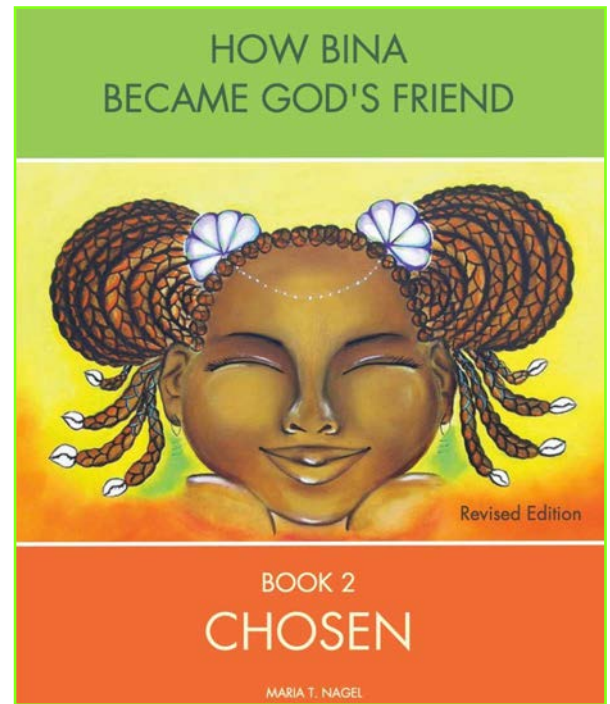
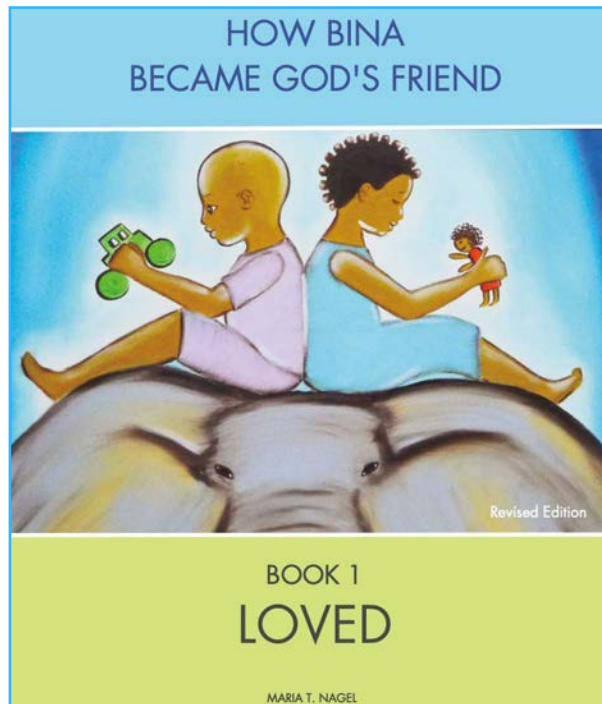
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Jesus loves you.



## BINA

Hi, my name is Bina. I am from the Bassa tribe  
of Cameroon in Africa.

I live in a small village with my family.

One day, my parents told me about a man in the Bible  
named Noah. He lived a long time ago.

The Bible called him God's friend.

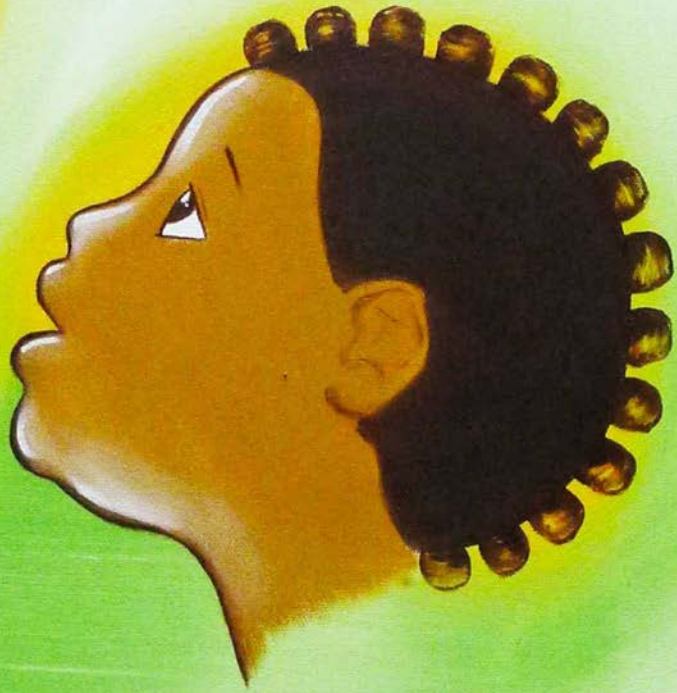
I was surprised because I didn't know it was possible  
to be God's friend. From that moment on

I wanted to be God's friend too.

Guess what? I learned how to be God's friend.

Do you want to know how I did it ? I am happy to share  
my story with you and tell you 5 ways or keys  
to become God's friend.

You see, just like a key can open doors,  
the keys I will share with you can open  
the door to God's heart.



Your are precious  
to God.

## 1. TRUST GOD

If you are sad, God will comfort you. If you are ill, God will heal you. If you are afraid, God will give you strength. If you are in danger, God will protect you. And if you have problems, God will help you.

If you want to be God's friend, trust Him. He will help you no matter what problem you have.

### BIBLE VERSES

#### **Don't worry.**

Don't let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God, and trust also in me.

[John 14:1 \(NLT\)](#)

#### **Don't be afraid.**

Don't be afraid, for I am with you. Don't be discouraged, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you. I will hold you up with my victorious right hand.

[Isaiah 41:10 \(NLT\)](#)

#### **God is your healer.**

He heals the brokenhearted and bandages their wounds.

[Psalm 147:3 \(NLT\)](#)



You are amazing.

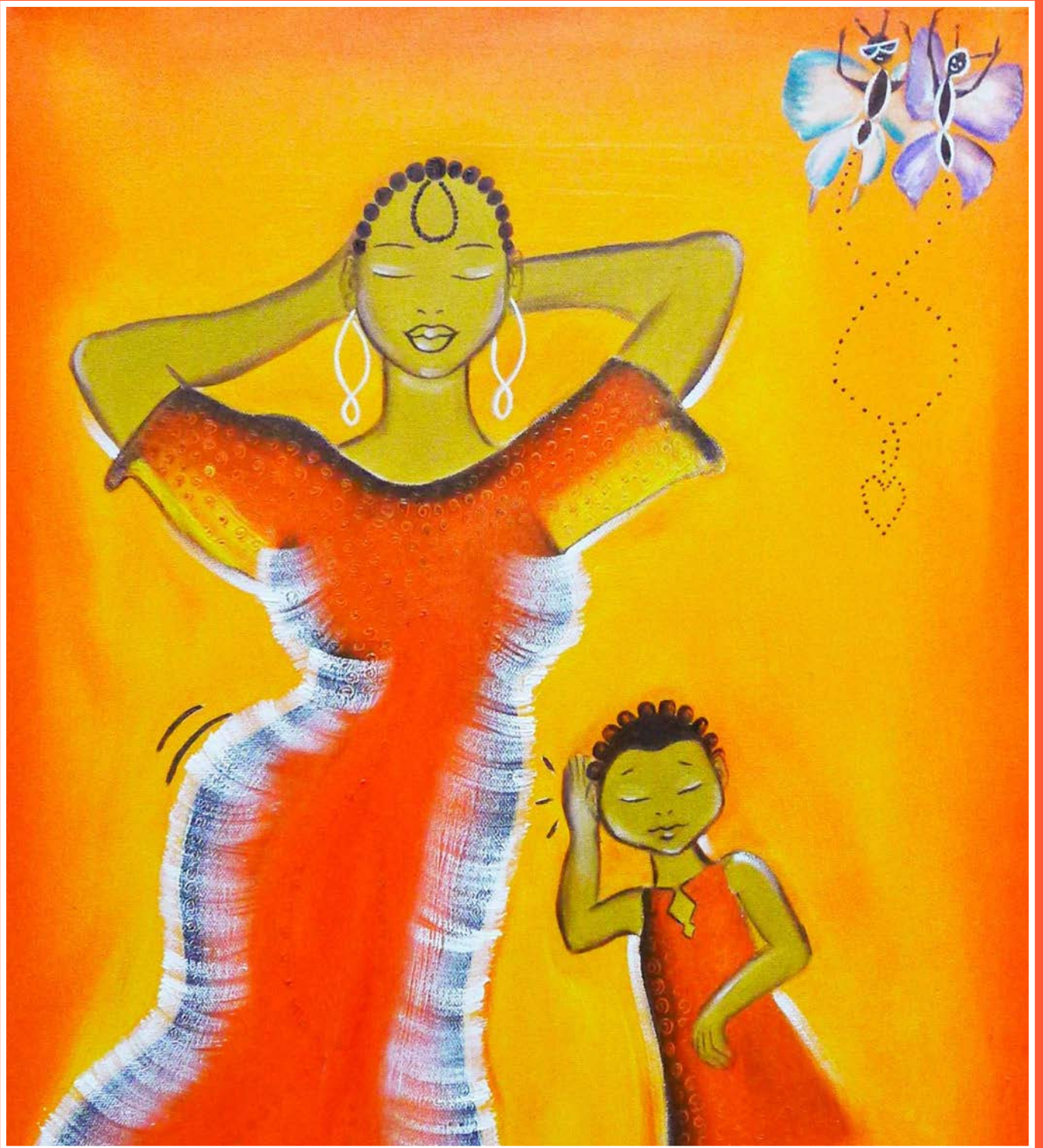


## **2. DANCE FOR GOD**

Our God is a happy God—His heart is full of joy and laughter.

Use the body God gave you to make Him smile. Dance for God like King David did. You can dance with or without music. And if you can't dance, it doesn't matter because it's not a competition, but a love offering to God.

If you want to be God's friend, dance for Him.



You are a joy to be around.

## **BIBLE VERSES**

Dance and make music for God.  
Let them praise his name with dancing  
and make music to him.  
Psalm 149:3 (NIV)



You are protected.

### 3. MAKE GOD SMILE

Everyone likes to smile. God does too. You can make God smile by giving Him gifts. Your gift can be something you do or even something you don't do.

For example, if someone says something very mean to you, you can tell God,

"I will stay calm and not reply. That's my gift to you, God."

You can also buy things and honor God. For example, you can buy flowers for someone who is lonely and tell God, "I bought you some beautiful flowers and I will share them with my lonely friend in honor of you, God."

God will certainly like that.

If you want to be God's friend, do things that make Him smile.

I'm proud of you.



## **BIBLE VERSES**

**Make God smile on you.**

May the Lord smile on you and be gracious to you. May the Lord show you his favor and give you his peace.

Numbers 6:25–27 (NLT)



You are loved.



## 4. Be Happy

God likes it when we are happy. It makes Him happy too.

Even when bad things happen to us, God wants us to know that He is there and will help us. Did you know that God likes to put His arms around you and whisper in your ears, that He loves you ? Did you know that ?

Well, He does. Especially when you are sad or hurt. So smile, because God, your heavenly Father who loves you so much, has a wonderful plan for your life.

If you want to be God's friend, trust Him.  
Be happy and at peace. Even in bad times.



## **BIBLE VERSE**

**God brings joy.**

For the joy of the Lord is your strength.

Nehemiah 8:10 (NIV)



**You are amazing.**

## 5. SING FOR GOD

God created music.

Sing to God. Play your instrument for God. He loves when you praise Him. You don't have to sing perfectly. You don't even have to play an instrument perfectly. If you do, that's great, but if you don't, don't worry. Just make a joyful noise to God.

You make God happy when you sing from your heart to Him.

If you want to be God's friend, sing to Him.

You are loved.



## **BIBLE VERSES**

### **Sing to God.**

Oh, sing to the Lord a new song! Sing to the Lord,  
all the earth. Sing to the Lord, bless His name.

Psalm 96:1–2 (NKJV)



**SHAKE THE WORLD**

**FOR GOD**



## WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO BE GOD'S FRIEND?

God sees and hears everything that happens on the earth. A lot of it is very bad and makes God very sad. When you become God's friend, it gives Him reason to rejoice when looking at the earth. Then He knows He didn't send His Son Jesus Christ in vain because you have become His friend and will be like a bright light shining in darkness.

Your life will be a breath of fresh air. You will be the hands and feet of Jesus when you become God's friend. Now you are part of the body of Christ. Your words and songs will help others become God's friends too.

If God had more friends on earth, there would be fewer tears, fewer diseases, and fewer wars.

Today, I would like to ask you this question:

Would you like to become God's friend?





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This faith-based children's picture book aims for the heart and hits it every single time—and is guaranteed to capture the hearts of children for their Creator.

This book includes:

- heartwarming illustrations
- uplifting Bible verses
- inspirational quotes and

5 ways to have and maintain a friendship with God:

1. Trust God.
2. Dance For God
3. Make God smile.
4. Be Happy
5. Sing For God

