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LEAD-IN: With the Lord one day is like a thousand years, and a thousand years like one day. The Lord is not slow about His promise, as some count slowness, but is patient toward you, not wishing for any to perish but for all to come to repentance. (2 Peter 3:8-9, NASB)

LEAD-IN DEVOTIONAL READING:

In Your Time

Transcendent God, You live in eternity above all time, unlimited. unhurried, untouched by its relentless flow. You are the master of time, not its slave. Time means change, and You are beyond all change. You are unchanging fullness, unchanging perfection. Yet we humans need time, Father. We need its opportunities to change and grow. We are only the seeds of who we need to be. And You are like a gardener, content to work, content to wait, content to patiently nurture us until the time is exactly right and we are all Your love intended us to be. You will not rush. What seems like delays is only Your mercy, only Your unflinching determination to give only Your best to Your children. Transcendent God, we cannot think Your thoughts. We cannot trace Your ways, But we trust Your perfect wisdom and Your unchanging love. Help us to work and rest in Your Spirit, in Your time, in Your peace.

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