

Personal Reflection – September 4, 2023

Hello, You!

The areas related to vision (the occipital lobes) that process what we see are already quite well developed at birth so the baby can recognize and bond with its parents.

Swart, Tara. *The Source* (p. 74). HarperCollins. Kindle Edition.

What a kind Creator! The child opens her eyes to see a weeping Father and mom looking at her with eyes full of love and awe. Of course! The Father, Creator God, has a Son, too.

Mom says, “Hello, **You!**” And Daddy repeats it, with tears and a long glance full of gratitude at his wife. Hello, **You**. I remember that moment, unconsciously, of course, but really. I see it is why I am bold and stubborn, and weep as I write this. That love has met the same eyes for 93 years! The same Creator who put a wailing newborn daughter into their arms on June 30, 1931 has put me into the arms of friends and lovers all these years. The same bond binds today!

You has come! Watch out, World!

Hope is indeed *a memory of the future*. Thank you, Tara!

--Jane Vella