For by Him all things were created, both in the heavens and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things have been created through Him and for Him. He is before all things, and in Him all things hold together. (Colossians 1:16-17) (NASB)

- God is with me in the ________
- No matter where life takes me, God is ______________
- I am never ___________

3. YOU ARE ______________ AND VALUABLE (vs. 13-18)

4. YOU ARE STILL IN ___________________ (vs. 19-24)

And I am sure that God, who began the good work within you, will continue his work until it is finally finished on that day when Christ Jesus comes back again. (Philippians 1:6) (NLT)

DIGGING DEEPER

(For use in personal/family devotions or with your care group)

Q1: What is the most valuable thing you have ever lost? Did you ever find it? If so, how?
Q2: Who is the person(s) in your life that are “intimately acquainted” with the real you?
Q3: How does it make you feel to know that your life is an “open book” before God?
Q4: Describe a time in your life when you felt the need to hide?
Q5: Have you ever experienced God’s real presence during a dark time in your life? Explain.
Q6: Are you able to be totally honest before God? If not, what do you think hinders you from being straight up with God about how you feel?
Q7: What specific part of your spiritual growth process do you think God is working on in your life right now?
Q8: Matthew 10:30 tells us that the very hairs of our head are numbered. What does that verse teach us about God’s connection with us?