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One World, many Forests.
One Forest, many Trees.
One Tree, many Branches.
One Branch, many Leaves.

I heard this the other night on PBS. I believe it was Paul from Peter, Paul, & Mary who said it. Since then it has stuck with me, reminding me that no matter what, there maybe a hundred trillion Stars in our Universe, 7.6 Billion people on this planet of ours, that there is still only one Raymond Michael Alderman. Now, I know that there are others who have the name same as mine but there is only one person with my Dna. I am an individual, we all are.

I am and I always will be who I am, who I want to be, me. I tried for years to be who I thought it was that everyone else wanted me to be. I hid myself, my personality from the world. I believed that I was a nobody, not worth a damn to anyone.

But over the years, I have found out that I am that world, I am that forest, I am that tree, I am that leaf, and I am a person who deserves love, attention, and the opportunity to be me.

We All Do 😊