

Dream – Beauty despite the scars

In my dream we were in a car driving behind a convertible in front of us. The top was down. There were two men in the front and three people in the back, two men and in the middle a woman. I saw that she had scars all over her back and arms as she was cut, but stitched back together. Then I saw there was a banner in the car and they were advertising the restoration of people that were cut and hurt. Immediately I saw the woman's face and I realized she was very beautiful despite the scars. As I was contemplating this in the dream an angel poked me from behind and sang the phrase "See the purpose of the sapphire". I woke up.

Interpretation: I looked up the Biblical meaning of sapphire's, they represent beauty but also Truth. I realized the four men were angels guarding this lady, and God Himself was displaying her beauty despite her scars. The realization came that when people have been through bad things in life they do have scars – sometimes they speak a bit crass, sometimes they act a bit offensively to keep others at bay, sometimes they just seem 'damaged' – but if you look past that all, you might realize that they are being Divinely restored, and they have a beauty and honesty in them that you do not see in many others. Then you will see them as God sees them, and appreciate them for their unique beauty and truth.

We all are sometimes guilty of just seeing the surface and 'writing someone off' for it. May we see past the scars and start seeing people as God has restored them to be, beautiful, truthful, precious in His sight, and treat them accordingly.

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