

Empathetic Listening



Empathy is a respectful listening while being present*, sometimes reflecting *feelings* and *needs* (a form of *Grace*)



Are you (feeling) _____ ...

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| • Joyful | • Peaceful | • Afraid | • Unhappy |
| • Grateful | • Centered | • Anxious | • Disappointed |
| • Touched | • Relaxed | • Upset | • Discouraged |
| • Hopeful | • Content | • Worried | • Bored |
| • Excited | • Pleased | • Embarrassed | • Lonely |
| • Delighted | • Comfortable | • Hurt | • Guilty |
| • Inspired | • Satisfied | • Depressed | • Ashamed |
| • Amazed | • Alive | • Cranky | • Torn |
| • Enchanted | • Passionate | • Annoyed | • Suspicious |
| | • Compassion | • Resentful | • Vulnerable |
| | | • Angry | • Frustrated |
| | | • Confused | • Numb |



because you're needing _____ ?

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| – Sustenance | – Freedom | – Healing | – Rest |
| – Shelter | – Choice | – Peace | – Celebration |
| – Procreation | – Creativity | – Balance | – Mourning |
| – Nurturance | – Empowerment | – Ease | – Leisure |
| • Protection | • Interdependence | – Trust | – Play |
| – Security | – Cooperation | • Empathy | • Transcendence |
| – Safety | – Community | – To be known | – Presence |
| – Justice | – Inclusion | – Understanding | – Beauty |
| – Respect | – Mutuality | – Connection | – Harmony |
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| • Meaning | • Honesty | – Affection | – Space |
| – Purpose | – Authenticity | – Acknowledgement | – Hope, Faith |
| – Contribution | – Self-Connection | – Intimacy | – Life |
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| | – Learning | | |

Honest Expression



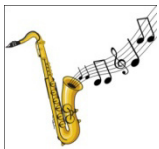
... is sharing what is going on inside us (a form of *Truth*)

I observed that “ _____ .”



I am (feeling) _____ . . .

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Would you be willing to tell me what you heard me say?