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Just like a parable is "an earthly story with a heavenly meaning," our lives on earth should only make sense when they're "placed alongside" heavenly principles.