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Our Lord said, "The very hairs of your head are numbered." A person with a full head of hair has about 100,000 strands, more or less. We may not care about such things, but God has numbered them and has the exact count. Our Lord is intimately involved with every detail of our lives, even down to the very minutest matters. Not only does He know every hair, but He knows every tear, every heartache, every heartbreak, every sorrow, every trial, every fear, every temptation, every pain, every hurt. Our Saviour sees and He cares. God cares for us so much that He already has solved our biggest problem, which is how a hell-deserving, wicked, wretched, wayward sinner can stand before a holy and righteous God. Because of Calvary, God was able to justify the ungodly (Rom. 4:5) and solve our biggest problem. If God cared enough about us to solve our biggest problem, cannot He handle everything else? As you face great trials, what will your attitude be towards God's care?

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