## **Advice from Henry Ford**

Automobile pioneer Henry Ford once said something quite encouraging for those who may not feel appreciated.



He was speaking about his car, the Model T, all of which came in the same color and style. His words still ring true today. He said:

"All Fords are exactly alike, but no two people are just alike. Every new life is a new thing under the sun; there has never been anything just like it before, and never will be again.

A young person ought to get that idea about himself; he should look for the single spark of individuality that makes him different from other

folks and develop that for all he's worth. Society and schools may try to iron it out of him; their tendency is to put us all in the same mold, but I say, 'Don't let that spark be lost; it's your only real claim to importance."

That's a good word for us all. We may not be getting the positive strokes at home, at work, in the community or even in church that we feel we deserve, but that need not keep us from being all that we can be.

There was a Man hanging on a cross who was rejected by His own family, His own town, His own nation. But He died to save the world.

And He says to us, "Keep the faith. You are a unique creation of the living God. Let no one tell you that you are of little worth. You are of ultimate value to My Father. You are so valuable that I died to save you."

Christ's purchase by His blood grants salvation to all who trust Him and make Jesus the Lord of their lives. The rewards include heaven and eternal fellowship with Him.

See how much you are worth in His eyes – and appreciated!

For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life (John 3:16 NKJV).

- Beecher Hunter