MADE BY HAND, FOR KEITH

Reasons why we should be together

One message wasn't enough to hold everything I wanted to say, so I built a whole website. Nineteen pages of who I am, how I love, and why I'd like to find out what's ahead with you.

Start reading →

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Before you begin

Read it slowly, in any order, or use the arrow keys to move between pages. I'm not asking you to decide anything today. I just want you to know how I think and how I feel.

How I love

Through small, real actions. Not for show, just who I am.

What I promise

Not the world, but everything I can actually give, and the effort to find a way for the rest.



Where I'm headed

I'd like to find out what's ahead, with you.



I can't promise you the world, but if I can give it, I will. And if I can't, I'll find a way.

PRINCE

REASON 01

Acts of service is just part of me

Talagang ganito ako. When I care about someone, I don't just say it. I do something about it, quietly, consistently, and without needing anyone to notice.

It's not a performance

If it ever feels like a lot, or feels new, I understand. But none of this is for show. It's simply the way I know how to love.

It comes naturally

I don't plan to be thoughtful. I just notice what you need and want to help.

It's how I say it

Some people say "I love you" with words. I say it with a door held open, a bag carried, a task taken off your hands.

I pay attention

The little details matter to me: what you reach for, what tires you, what makes you smile.

> I'm not doing it to be seen. I'm doing it because I want to.

PRINCE

REASON 02

The little things I'd love to do for you

Nothing grand. Just ordinary moments made a little softer, because you're in them.

Small moments, every day

These are the things I picture when I imagine caring for you.



Opening the door

The car door, the mall door, any door. I'd like you to walk through without lifting a finger.



Getting the food

When we buy food, I'll grab it at the counter and set it up for you by the time you're back. Your seat, your tray, ready.



Feeding you, randomly

A bite here, a spoonful there, for no reason except that I like sharing with you.



Buying what you want

If you mention something you like, I'll remember it. If I can afford it, it's yours.



> Small things, done consistently, are how I say you matter.

PRINCE

REASON 03

If I can't buy it, I'll make it

Money may not always be there, but time and effort are. I'd rather give you something that took my hands and my heart than something that only took a swipe.

Things I'd make for you

A handmade gift says "I thought about you the whole time I was making this."

Crochet flowers

Flowers that never wilt, made stitch by stitch, so you can keep them forever.

Keychains

Something small you can carry everywhere, a little reminder that someone is thinking of you.

Paper stars

Folded one by one, each with a wish tucked inside.

Random notes

Little messages in unexpected places, for the days you need one most.



If I can't afford it, I'll make it. That way it's still something I gave you with my whole heart.

PRINCE

REASON 04

I'd like to sing for you

Even if my voice isn't perfect. A song can say what ordinary words can't, and I want to learn the ones that mean something to you.

Three songs, three promises

Sing for you

Anytime you want to hear something, or even when you don't know you want to.

Learn your favorite

Tell me the song that feels like you. I'll learn every word of it and every note I can.

Write one for you

Not a copy of someone else's feelings, but a song that's only about you and me.

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Your favorite song is a window into you. I'd like to learn how to look through it.

PRINCE

REASON 05

A memory website, just for you

Building things is how I speak. So of course I'd build you a place where every memory we make can live.

You're looking at the first one

This website is a small sample of what I'd want to do. It's proof that when I say I'll make something for you, I mean it literally.

- Photos from the places we go, with captions only we'd understand.
- Little notes about days that felt special.
- A timeline of how we started and everything after.
- The songs that belong to us.
- And more, added whenever we make something new.

> Some people write letters. I write code. Same love, different language.

PRINCE

REASON 06

I can't promise the world, but I can promise this

I won't make promises I can't keep. What I can say honestly is that I'll give you everything I'm able to, and I'll work to find a way for whatever's left.

An honest promise

If I can do it, I'll give it. If I can get you something life has to offer, I'll find a way. That's not a grand statement. It's just how I operate when I care about someone.

I'd rather be someone whose small promises always come true than someone who makes big ones and forgets them.

Honesty

I'll tell you what I can and can't do, and I won't pretend otherwise.

Effort

If something matters to you, I'll try, and I'll keep trying.

A way forward

When the road is blocked, I'll look for another one.

> Whatever I'm able to give, you'll have. Whatever I can't, I'll find a way.

PRINCE

REASON 07

I'm not keeping score

You never have to match what I give. Love isn't a trade for me. I give because I like giving.

No debts, no ledger



Nothing to repay

Accept it, enjoy it. You don't owe me anything for being cared for.



Giving feels good

Taking care of the people I love is one of my favorite things to do. You're at the top of that list.



Your way counts too

You can love me in your own way, at your own pace. I'll notice it, and I'll be grateful.

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I'm not keeping score. I just really enjoy taking care of the people I love.

PRINCE

REASON 08

Your smile is my treat

Spending on myself is something I'm learning. But honestly, when you smile because of something small I did, that already feels like I treated myself.

I'll take care of me too

You're right that I should rest and look after myself, and it means a lot that you care about that. I'll try. I promise.

- If I ever give too much, remind me to rest. I'll listen to you.
- Seeing you happy gives me energy, it doesn't drain me.
- I'll spend on myself too, little by little, because you asked me to.
- A good relationship takes care of both people, and I want that for us.

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Seeing you smile over something small is already me treating myself.

PRINCE

REASON 09

You're never alone in wanting or needing things

Big or small, spoken or unspoken. I want you to feel that someone is always paying attention, and that someone is on your side.

I'll notice, even the little stuff

I listen

Not just to what you say, but to what you mean.

I notice

A tired look, a quiet mood, a small wish mentioned once. It stays with me.

I stay

Whatever you're wanting or going through, you won't have to carry it by yourself.

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I'll always be here to notice, even the little stuff.

PRINCE

REASON 10

It's been almost five days

I know how that sounds. It's funny to me too. But I'd rather be honest about what I feel than pretend it needs more time to be real.

Short time, clear feeling

I'm not saying this out of attachment. I'm saying it because after almost five days of talking, I already want you in my life, no matter what.

Time will test everything I'm telling you, and I'm okay with that. I'd like to be tested. I'd like to show you, one day at a time, that these words weren't just words.

Fast feeling

It hit me quickly, and it hasn't gone away.

Slow proof

The real answer is built over weeks, months, years. I'm ready for that.

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It's been almost five days, and I already want you in my life no matter what.

PRINCE

REASON 11

I can picture a future with you

In my head, it's already easy to imagine. I don't see myself with anyone else. Just you.

What I imagine

- Ordinary mornings that feel better because you're part of them.
- Places we haven't been to yet, and memories we haven't made.
- A home, wherever it ends up, that feels like us.
- Growing together, learning from each other, becoming better every year.

> I don't know what's ahead, but I'd really like to find out with you.

PRINCE

REASON 12

On the bad days, I'll still choose to stay

I can't promise we'll never argue, or that every day will be easy. Nobody can honestly promise that. But I can promise how I'll handle the hard ones.

My part of the deal



Stay

I won't walk away at the first disagreement. I'll stay in the room, so to speak.



Talk it out

Calmly, honestly, and with the goal of understanding you, not winning.



Try again

If it doesn't go well the first time, I'll try again the next day.



On the bad days I'll still choose to stay, talk it out, and try again.

PRINCE

REASON 13

On the good days, you'll feel how grateful I am

I don't want to only be strong on the hard days. I want to be thankful on the easy ones too.

Gratitude, out loud

I'll tell you when something you did made my day. I'll tell you when I'm proud of you. I'll tell you that I'm glad we met, even if you already know.

Good days shouldn't pass without being noticed. I want us to celebrate the small ones, because those are what a good life is made of.

- I'll say thank you, often and sincerely.
- I'll laugh with you, and at myself.
- I'll surprise you with something small, just because it's a good day.

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On the good days, I'll make sure you feel how grateful I am that I met you.

PRINCE

REASON 14

Every day I can choose you, however far

I can't control everything life throws at us. But there's one thing I can do daily: choose you, and show up in whatever way I can, even from far away.

Showing up from a distance

Calls

A voice at the end of a long day is worth more than a long paragraph.

Video chats

Sharing meals, stories, and silly moments through the screen.

Little packages

Handmade things, sent across any distance, so you can hold something I made.

Making the trip

When it's possible, I'll come to you. When it isn't yet, I'll plan for it.



Distance changes how I show up, not whether I do.

PRINCE

REASON 15

I look at who you are, not how you look

My mind works differently. Looks fade in my mind and personality stays. What I notice first is how someone treats people and how they carry themselves.

What matters to me

Caring

In words or in actions, in whatever way is natural to you. I recognize care in any form.

Personality

The way you think, laugh, react, and see the world is what draws me in.

Your own way

I don't need you to show love like I do. I'll learn your language.

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I like someone for who they are. Looks are the last thing on my mind.

PRINCE

REASON 16

I don't ask for much

I'm not looking for perfection or a long list of requirements. A few simple things are enough for me.

Just these

Love

Given in whatever way feels honest to you.

Care

Even small, even quiet, even imperfect.

Support

Someone in my corner, as I'll be in yours.

Comfort and understanding

A place where I can be myself without explaining too much.

If not all of it is given, I won't complain. I don't keep a checklist. What I care about is that it's real.

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Love, care, support, comfort, understanding. Even if not all of it, I won't complain.

PRINCE

ALL TOGETHER NOW

20 reasons, in one place

Everything from the last 17 pages, plus a few more. Tap each one to open it.

1 **I love through actions**

Acts of service is just who I am. It isn't for show.

2 **I'll open the doors**

Car doors, mall doors, any door, so you can walk through easily.

3 **I'll handle the counter**

I'll grab the food and set it up for you before you're back.

4 **I'll feed you, randomly**

Because sharing little bites with you makes my day.

5 **I'll buy what you want**

If I can afford it, it's yours. I remember what you mention.

6 **I'll make it if I can't buy it**

Crochet flowers, keychains, paper stars, handwritten notes.

7 **I'll sing for you**

And learn your favorite song, even if my voice isn't perfect.

8 **I'll write you a song**

One that's only about you and me.

9 **I'll build you a memory website**

This is the first one. There'll be more places to keep our memories.

10 **I'll be honest**

I can't promise the world, but I won't promise what I can't keep.

11 **I'll find a way**

If I can give it, I will. If I can't yet, I'll work toward it.

12 **I'm not keeping score**

You never have to match what I give.

13 **I'll take care of myself too**

I promised I'd try, and I'll listen when you remind me to rest.

14 **You're never alone**

I'll notice what you want and need, even the little things.

15 **I can imagine a future with you**

It took less than a week, and I'm not afraid to say so.

16 **I'll stay on the bad days**

Talk it out, and try again.

17 **I'll celebrate the good days**

You'll feel how grateful I am that we met.

18 **Distance won't stop me**

I'll choose you every day and show up however I can.

19 **I care about who you are**

Personality and heart matter far more to me than looks.

20 **I'd like to find out with you**

I don't know what's ahead. I just want to see it together.

THE LAST PAGE

So, Keith...

Thank you for reading all of this. Here's the one thing I wanted to ask.

I'm not perfect, and I can't promise the world. But I can promise that I'll show up, that I'll be honest, and that I'll keep choosing you on the easy days and the hard ones.

I don't need you to be anything other than yourself. I just want the chance to care for you, learn you, and build something real with you, one day at a time.

Whatever your answer is, I'm glad I met you.

With all my heart,
Prince

Would you like to find out what's ahead with me?

Either answer is okay. I'd rather have an honest one.

Yes, let's find out

Let me think