

# Profit in 1776

100 Pounds Sterling per child

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Equivalent to \$21,384 today,

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depending on location

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# Statistics

- 25% to 50% of American adults are estranged from at least one close family member
- 6% to 11% of mothers are estranged from adult children.
- (Data 2021 - present)



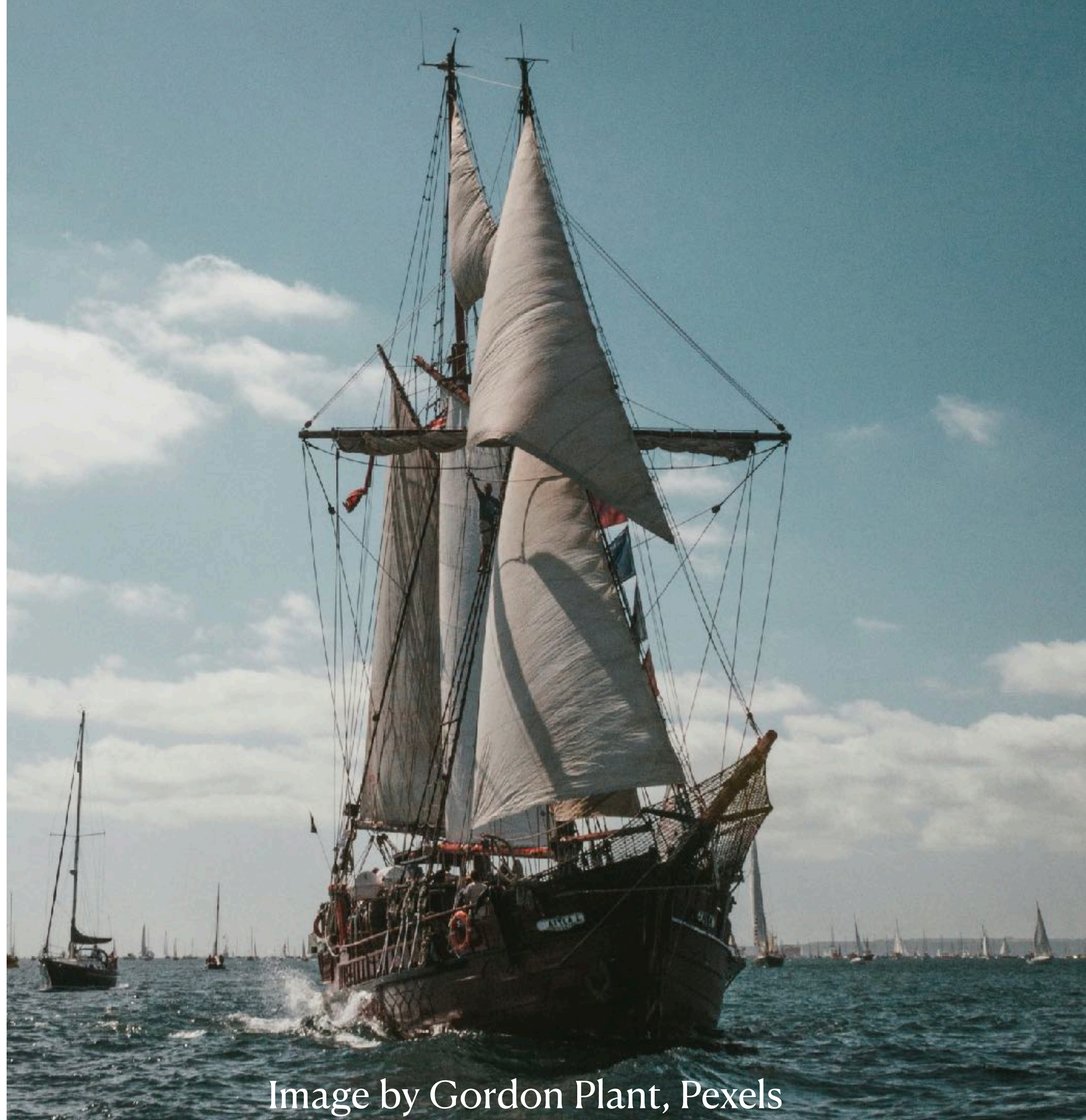


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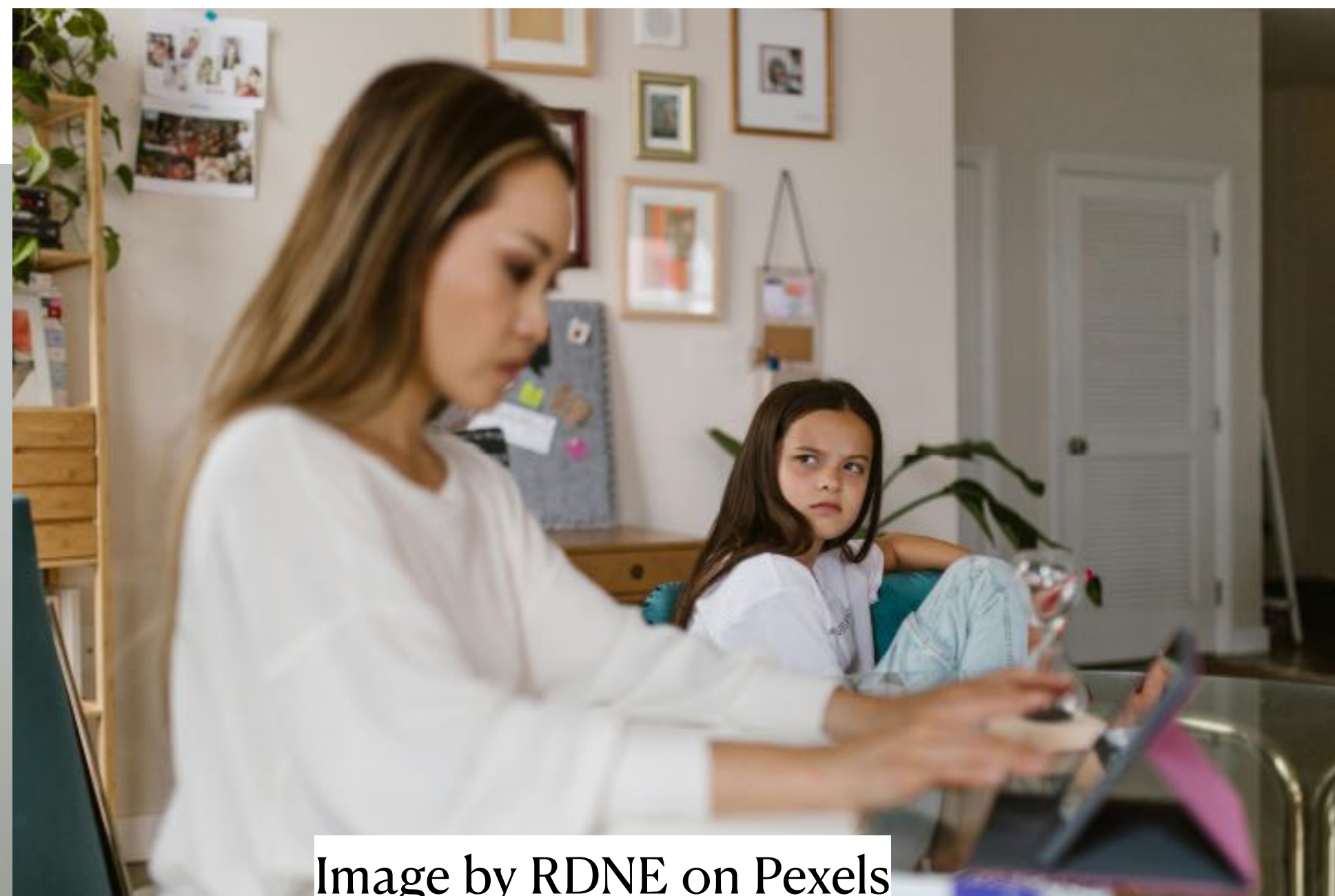


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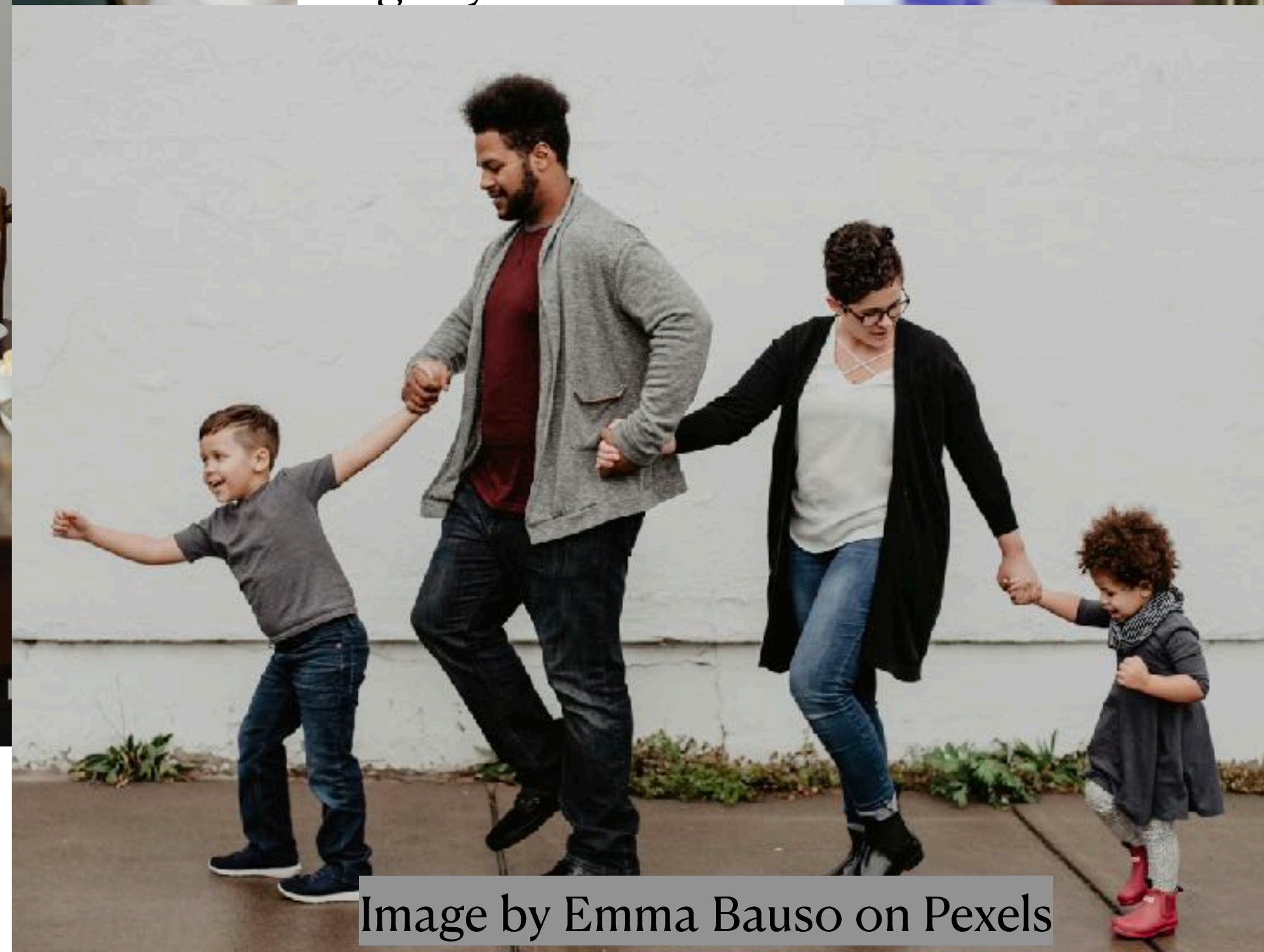


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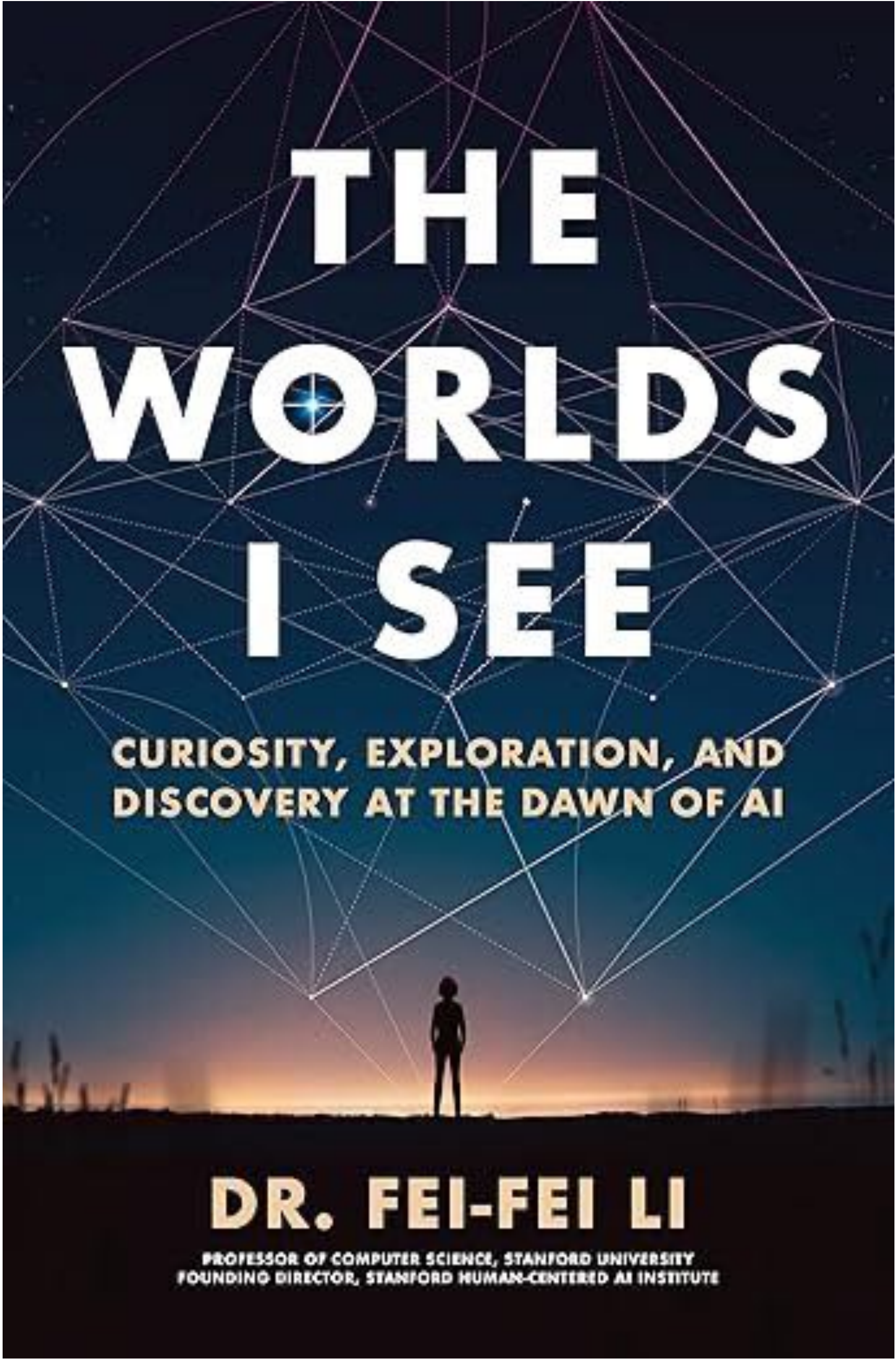
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- Family: it takes love and devotion to create love and devotion
- Do, say, feel



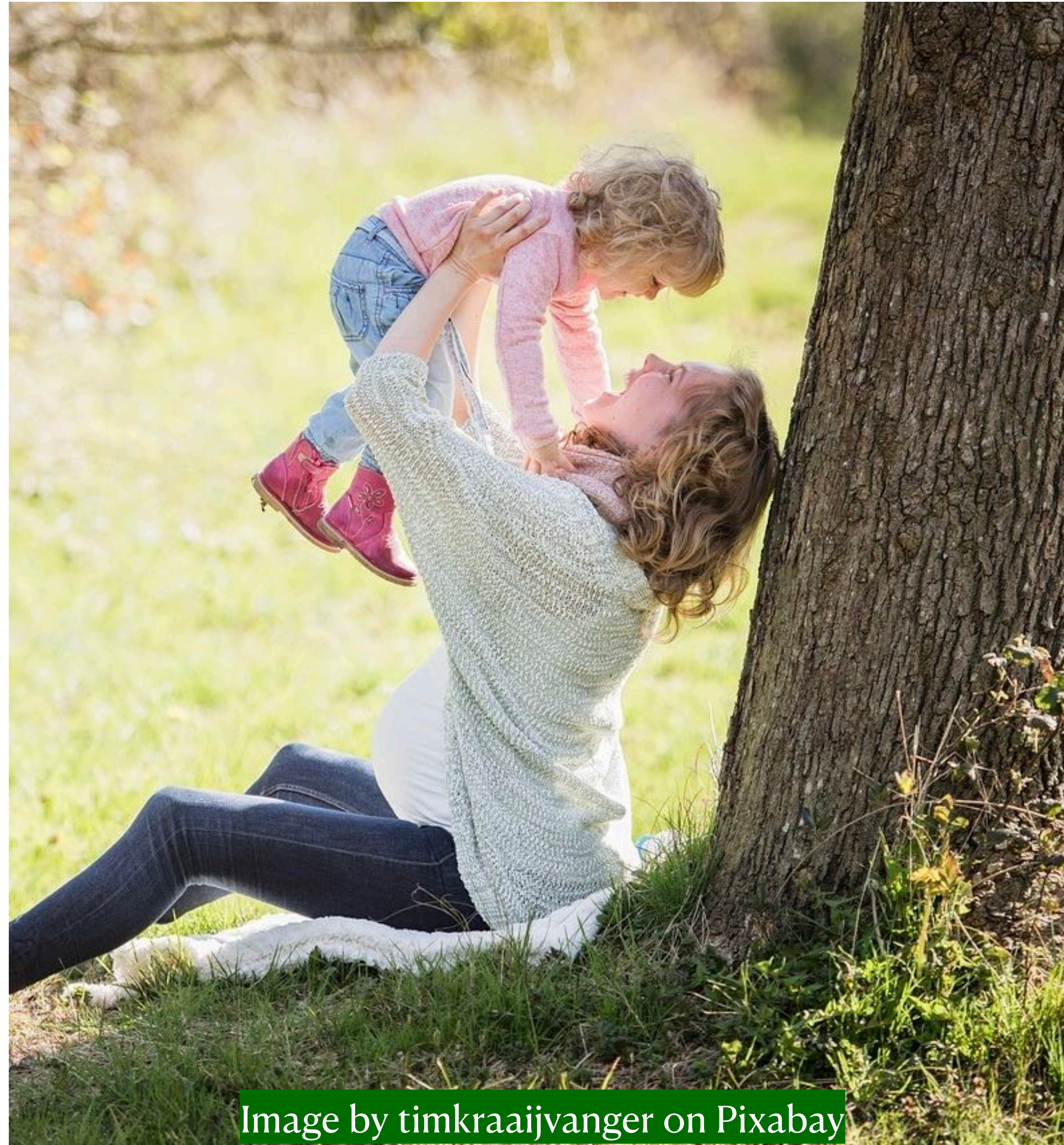


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