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Heaven’s mastery.
Sculpted. Unique.
brown
ivory
mahogany
Beautiful. Stunning.
A breath-taking view.

Supple. Manly.
But there’s so much more to you

More than the stain of your eyes
Or your comely aesthetics
More than the hue of your skin or anatomical appearance

More than your carnality
Or your vigor, your money
More than your drive, your passion, even your copulate ability

More than your sex
Or your title, your lingual finesse
More than your strength, your poise or your business prowess

More than your fears
Or your doubt, your insecurity
More than your flaws, your tears or your anxiety

More than your hurts
Or your anger, your secret pain
More than your failures, your setbacks or the lessons gained

More than a male, a man
A father, husband or friend
You’re the essence of greatness from beginning to end

Power and glory flow through your veins
Inner grace, seraphic beauty are your terrains
You’re more than you know
More than you’ve become
You’re priceless, destined, and second to none.

Beautiful. Stunning.
Breath-taking view.

Marked. Chosen.
There’s so much more to you.