

Can a woman forget her baby—
or show no compassion to the child within her womb?

Yet even if they forget, I will never forget you—
see I have written your name on the palm of my hand.

Isaiah 49: 15-16



Cut out a hand.

Write the name of someone who has died on it.

As you cut out and write,
consider the fact that God knew this person
before they came into existence—
God called them—though love—to life.

Whatever happened throughout their life—
as they make their way into the next—
their name is written on the palm of God's hand.

Hold the hand in your own and say the words of Isaiah—
adding the person's name.

Either keep the hand, or place it in the basket for the
community to remember and pray with you.

