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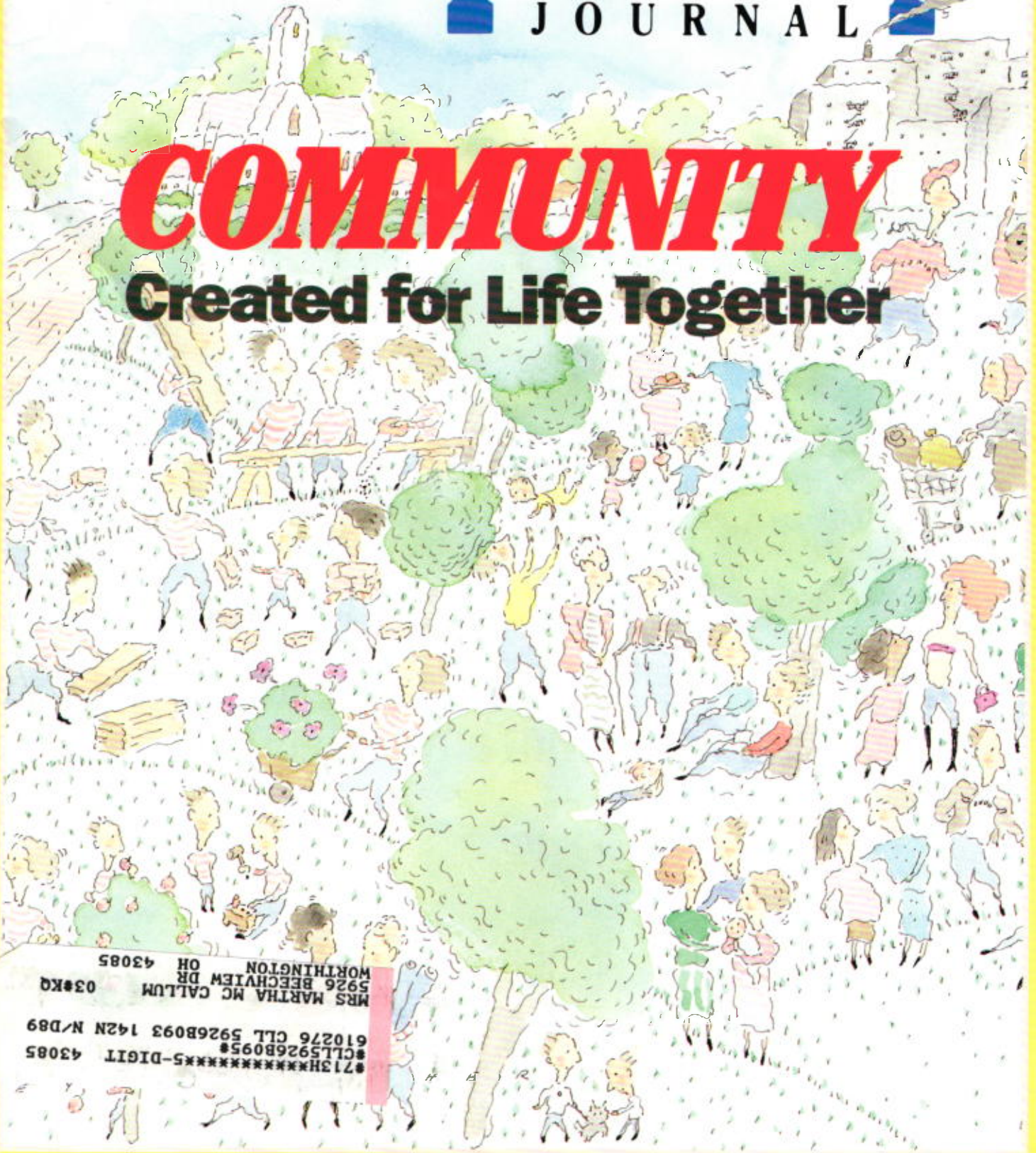
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## “Do you ever get the feeling we’re the only ones around here with any problems?”

“It sure seemed that way this morning, didn’t it.”

“I’ll say. It’s like we’re all supposed to be perfect. Why is everyone so afraid to talk about their problems?”

“Probably for the same reason we haven’t told anyone about ours. They’d have us on the prayer chain before you could say ‘juicy news’ and we’d never be able to show our faces here again.”

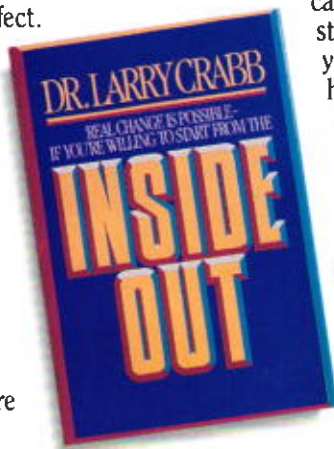
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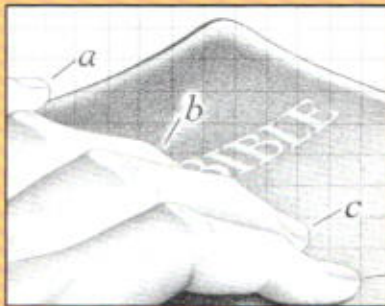
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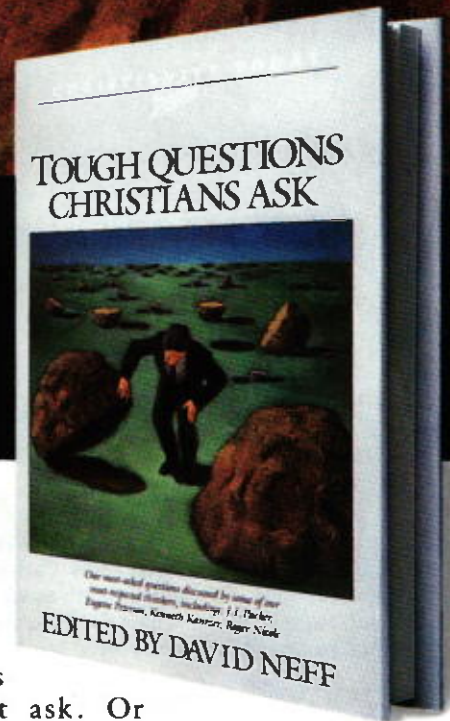


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