

Newborn Wonder

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The human egg and sperm divide again and again. Some cells become ears, some become bones, lungs, eyes. One of the first things to develop is the heart that pumps calmly without tiring. How do the cells know what part of the body to become? Skin, hair, brain, finger nails. When you look at a newborn baby's tiny fingers and toes and delicate eyelashes you feel it must be magic that created this perfect baby.