

# GOD IS GOOD! ALWAYS. ETERNALLY.



<u>Ps. 100:5</u> "For the LORD is good; His lovingkindness is everlasting And His faithfulness to all generations."

Nahum 1:7 "The LORD is good, A stronghold in the day of trouble, And He knows those who take refuge in Him."

<u>Ps 84:11-12</u> "For the LORD God is a sun and shield; The LORD gives grace and glory; No good thing does He withhold from those who walk uprightly. O LORD of hosts, How blessed is the man who trusts in You!"

# THE THREEFOLD PRAYER REQUEST OF PAUL



- 1. Protected ("rescued")
- 2. Accepted
- 3. Refreshed.

## ROMANS 15:30-33

30. Now I urge you, brethren, by our Lord Jesus Christ and by the love of the Spirit, to strive together with me in your prayers to God for me,



31. that I may be rescued from those who are disobedient in Judea, and that my service for Jerusalem may prove acceptable to the saints;

32. so that I may come to you in joy by the will of God and find refreshing rest in your company.

33. Now the God of peace be with you all. Amen.

#### ROMANS 15:31



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Rescued: Saved, delivered, preserved.

<u>Disobedient</u>: Disobey, "One who will not be persuaded"



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#### PSALM 23



"The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not want. He makes me lie down in green pastures; He leads me beside quiet waters. He restores my soul; He guides me in the paths of righteousness For His name's sake. Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I fear no evil, for You are with me; Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; You have anointed my head with oil; My cup overflows. Surely goodness and lovingkindness will follow me all the days of my life, And I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

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<u>Luke 11:11-13</u> "Now suppose one of you fathers is asked by his son for a <u>fish</u>; he will not give him a <u>snake</u> instead of a fish, will he? "Or if he is asked for an <u>egg</u>, he will not give him a <u>scorpion</u>, will he?

"If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your <u>heavenly Father give</u> the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him?"

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<u>Ps 145:17-20a</u> "The LORD is righteous in all His ways And kind in all His deeds. The LORD is near to all who call upon Him, To all who call upon Him in truth. He will fulfill the desire of those who fear Him; He will also hear their cry and will save them. The LORD keeps all who love Him...."

Lam 3:25 "The LORD is good to those who wait for Him, To the person who seeks Him. It is good that he waits silently For the salvation of the LORD."

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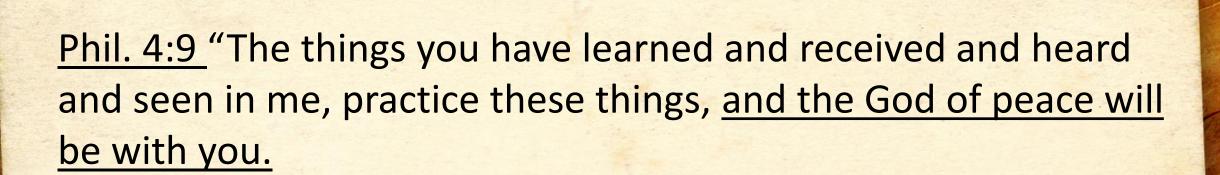
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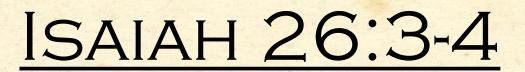


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# THE GOD WHO BRINGS PEACE







"The steadfast of mind You will keep in perfect peace, Because he trusts in You."