

## SEEKING AND TRUSTING GOD

### Seeking God -- Part 6

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**1 Kings 8:23 (NLT)** "...O LORD, God of Israel, **there is no God like You** in all of heaven or earth. **You keep Your promises** and show unfailing love to all who obey You and are eager to do Your will."

**Psalms 145:13b (NIV)** "*The Lord is faithful to ALL His promises and loving toward all He has made.*"

#### WHEN YOU SEEK GOD YOU CAN DEPEND ON HIM...

1. To \_\_\_\_\_ your sins.

**1 John 1:9 (GW)** "God is **faithful and reliable**. If we confess our sins, **He forgives them** and cleanses us from everything we've done wrong."

**Romans 10:11-13 (TLB)** "For the Scriptures tell us that **no one who believes in Christ will ever be disappointed**.<sup>12</sup> ... They all have the same Lord who generously gives His riches to all those who ask Him for them.<sup>13</sup> **Anyone who calls upon the name of the Lord will be saved.**"

2. To give you \_\_\_\_\_.

**Psalms 32:8 (NLT)** "The LORD says, 'I will guide you along the best pathway for your life. I will advise you and watch over you.'"

3. To bring about \_\_\_\_\_.

**Romans 12:19 (TLB)** "Dear friends, **never avenge yourselves**. Leave that to God, for He has said **He will repay** those who deserve it..."

**1 Peter 2:23 (TLB)** (Jesus) "... **Never answered back** when insulted; when He suffered **He did not threaten to get even**; He left His case in the hands of **God who always judges fairly.**"

**Matthew 5:44 (NIV)** "But I tell you: **Love your enemies and pray**

*for those who persecute you...*"

4. To \_\_\_\_\_ your generosity.

**Luke 6:38 (NIV)** "*Give and it will be given to you... For with the same measure you use, it will be measured to you.*"

**Proverbs 3:9-10 (NIV)** "*Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the first fruits of all your crops; then your barns will be filled to overflowing...*"

5. To \_\_\_\_\_ you spiritually.

**Ephesians 1:3 (NIV)** "Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has **blessed us** in the heavenly realms **with every spiritual blessing** in Christ."

**Ephesians 1:13b-14a (NLT)** "When you believed in Christ, He identified you as His own by giving you the Holy Spirit, whom He promised long ago.<sup>14</sup> **The Spirit is God's guarantee that He will give us everything He promised...**"

**1 Corinthians 1:7-9a (TLB)** "Now you have **every grace and blessing; every spiritual gift and power for doing His will** are yours during this time of waiting for the return of our Lord Jesus Christ.<sup>8</sup> **And He guarantees... you will be counted free from all sin and guilt on that day when He returns.**<sup>9</sup> **God will surely do this for you, for He always does just what He says...**"

6. To \_\_\_\_\_ your service.

**Hebrews 6:10 (CEV)** "God is always fair. **He will remember how you helped His people in the past and how you are still helping them**. You belong to God, and **He won't forget the love you have shown His people.**"

**2 Corinthians 1:20 (TLB)** "**He** (Jesus) carries out and fulfills all of God's promises, no matter how many of them there are; and we have told everyone **how faithful He is, giving glory to His name.**"