

STABILIZING TRUTHS FOR NOISY SOULS: THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOD

God is always good!

- HE WILL ALWAYS MEET MY GENUINE NEEDS.
 - Philippians 4:13 - I can do all things through him who strengthens me.
 - Philippians 4:19 - And my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus.
 - Matthew 6:31-33 - Therefore do not be anxious, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' For the Gentiles seek after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.
- HE WILL ALWAYS FORGIVE MY SIN.
 - 1 John 1:9 - If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.
 - Psalm 51 - verse 10 Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.
 - Isaiah 66:2b - But this is the one to whom I will look:
he who is humble and contrite in spirit
and trembles at my word.
- HE IS ALWAYS UP TO SOMETHING GOOD IN MY LIFE.
 - Jeremiah 29:11 - For I know the plans I have for you, declares the LORD, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.
 - Romans 8:26-34 - Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words. And he who searches hearts knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God. And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn among many brothers. And those whom

he predestined he also called, and those whom he called he also justified, and those whom he justified he also glorified. What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be^o against us? He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things? Who shall bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us.

- HE WILL ALWAYS LOVE ME PERSONALLY.

- Romans 8:35-39 – Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or danger, or sword? As it is written, “For your sake we are being killed all the day long; we are regarded as sheep to be slaughtered.” No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.
- Jeremiah 31:3 - the LORD appeared to him from far away. I have loved you with an everlasting love; therefore I have continued my faithfulness to you.
- John 17:23 - I in them and you in me, that they may become perfectly one, so that the world may know that you sent me and loved them even as you loved me.

- HE WILL ALWAYS GIVE ME THE GRACE I NEED.

- 2 Corinthians 9:8 - And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that having all sufficiency in all things at all times, you may abound in every good work.
- 1 Corinthians 15:10 - But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me was not in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them, though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me.
- 2 Corinthians 12:9-10 - But he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.” Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me. For the sake of Christ, then, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities. For when I am weak, then I am strong.

God is always great!

- HE IS ALWAYS IN CONTROL OF ALL THINGS.
 - Psalm 103:19 - The LORD has established his throne in the heavens, and his kingdom rules over all.
 - Isaiah 14:27 - For the LORD of hosts has purposed, and who will annul it? His hand is stretched out, and who will turn it back?
 - Isaiah 46:9-10 - remember the former things of old; for I am God, and there is no other; I am God, and there is none like me, declaring the end from the beginning and from ancient times things not yet done, saying, 'My counsel shall stand, and I will accomplish all my purpose.'
- HE IS ALWAYS PRESENT WITH ME.
 - Psalm 139:7-12 - Where shall I go from your Spirit? Or where shall I flee from your presence? If I ascend to heaven, you are there! If I make my bed in Sheol, you are there! If I take the wings of the morning and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea, even there your hand shall lead me, and your right hand shall hold me. If I say, "Surely the darkness shall cover me, and the light about me be night," even the darkness is not dark to you; the night is bright as the day, for darkness is as light with you.
 - Isaiah 41:10 - fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.
 - Jeremiah 23:24 - Can a man hide himself in secret places so that I cannot see him? declares the LORD. Do I not fill heaven and earth? declares the LORD.
- HE IS ALWAYS THE SAME.
 - Malachi 3:6a - For I the LORD do not change;
 - Hebrews 1:10-12 - And, "You, Lord, laid the foundation of the earth in the beginning, and the heavens are the work of your hands; they will perish, but you remain; they will all wear out like a garment, like a robe you will roll them up, like a garment they will be changed. But you are the same, and your years will have no end."

- HE IS ALWAYS TRUSTWORTHY.

- **2 Timothy 2:13** – if we are faithless, he remains faithful—for he cannot deny himself.
- **Psalm 36:5** - Your steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds.
- **Numbers 23:19** - God is not man, that he should lie, or a son of man, that he should change his mind. Has he said, and will he not do it? Or has he spoken, and will he not fulfill it?
- **Deuteronomy 7:9** - Know therefore that the LORD your God is God, the faithful God who keeps covenant and steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments, to a thousand generations,
- **Deuteronomy 31:8** - It is the LORD who goes before you. He will be with you; he will not leave you or forsake you. Do not fear or be dismayed.”

- HE IS ALWAYS WISE IN WHAT HE DOES.

- **Romans 11:33** - Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!
- **Colossians 2:3** - in whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge.
- **Revelation 15:3-4** - And they sing the song of Moses, the servant of God, and the song of the Lamb, saying, “Great and amazing are your deeds, O Lord God the Almighty! Just and true are your ways, O King of the nations! Who will not fear, O Lord, and glorify your name? For you alone are holy. All nations will come and worship you, for your righteous acts have been revealed.”