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## Because God loves you, He Provides- Part 20

Did you know that God loves you more than anyone else could ever love you?

God proves His love to you all the time by providing for your **daily needs**. **Matt. 6:31-32**, *“So do not worry, saying, ‘What shall we eat?’ or ‘What shall we drink?’ or ‘What shall we wear?’ For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them.”*

All through God’s word, He shows His love to us by providing for our daily needs. We always think of God just providing healing to the sick or salvation to the lost; and He does for sure. But God cares even for the smallest of things that we need. **Luke 12:24**, *“Consider the ravens: They do not sow or reap, they have no storeroom or barn; yet God feeds them. And how much more valuable you are than birds!”* Did you catch that phrase - *how much more valuable you are*. You are so valuable to Him that He was willing to come to this earth in the form of a man (**John 1:14**, *“He took on flesh and dwelt among us.”*). He did this so that He could redeem us from the penalty of sin and bring us into His glorious light. If He cares for your eternal life, don’t you think He also cares for your everyday life. He certainly does. That’s why He wants us to stay in Him; abide in Him; call out to Him. He is always there. He will never leave you or forsake you. He’s never too busy to meet any need you have. He just wants you to call upon Him.

There is no greater thing that a father wants to do for his children than to provide the things that they need. Many a father has worked long hours to put their children through college. They have worked a “graveyard shift” and then gone home to sleep a couple of hours to get up and go to their child’s sporting activity. Why? Because they love their children and have a desire to be there for them and take care of them. Jesus put it like this in **Matt. 7:9-11**, *“Which of you, if your son asks for bread, will give him a stone? Or if he asks for a fish, will give him a snake? If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask Him!”* And when His disciples asked Him how to pray, He said in **Matt. 6:11**, *“Give us this day our daily bread.”*

**Dear Father, Thank You for loving us so much that You meet our daily needs. You watch over us and protect us. You give us the things we truly need. Thank You for Your loving kindness. In Jesus Name, Amen**