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Because God loves you, He Provides- Part 159

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

God proves His love to you by **His <u>present</u>** love. **Ps. 46:7** "The LORD of hosts is <u>with</u> us; the God of Jacob is our stronghold."

The Hebrew word for with us is e lo hei which means present, available and near. One of the special characteristics of God is that He desires to be always near, available and present with His children. In a society where fathers tend to be absent more than present, God is right here with His children and will continue to be because He is so faithful. The Psalmist put it this way in Ps. 34:18 "The LORD is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit."

The fact is that God's love is perfect and pure. He does not allow circumstances or emotions control the fact that He loves you more than anyone else could ever love you. And, He will always love you and continue to hold you in His arms. He will never let go. Jesus put it this way in John 10:28-29 "I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of My hand. My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all, and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand."

Dear Father, thank You for being with us. Your presence is what we desire. Continue to hold us in Your perfect, strong hand and hold us close to Your heart. In Jesus Name, Amen