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**Because God loves you, He Provides- Part 121**

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

God proves His love to you by **His victorious love**. **Prov. 21:31** “*The horse is made ready for the day of battle, but the victory belongs to the LORD.*”

The Hebrew word for victory is *hat te shu 'ah* which means *deliverance, help or salvation*. The name Yeshua Hamashiach comes from this root word and it is the name of Jesus the Messiah. Because of the redeeming work of the cross, we are now made victorious over the sins of this world. This could only happen because of the victorious love of the Lord. He made a way when there seemed to be no way. He became the bridge that reconnected us to the Father. We had been cut off because of our sin, but God so loved us that He gave His only Son.

Have you ever been in a situation where you were separated from someone by a chasm? I remember when I was a young boy scout, we went on a campout as a scout troop. We were in the barren area of West Texas where there were desert areas full of cactus, mesquite bushes, and rattlesnakes. But there was one area that had a kind of oasis where there were a few trees, a small creek and some green grass. We decided that would be a good place to camp. The problem was that the grass was on the other side of the stream and we didn't want our gear to be soaked by dragging it to the other side through the water. We needed a way over, and it just so happened that about 100 yards downstream, we saw where a large tree had fallen and was laying across the stream. It provided a way for us to make it to the other side. In the same way, God provided victory over the stream of sins in our lives by covering it with the tree of life, Yeshua Hamashiach. Jesus Christ our redeemer.

**Dear Father, thank You that even though we deserved to be separated from You forever, You made a way for us through Jesus Christ. He is the way, the truth and the life and no one will come to You except through Him. We praise You! In Jesus Name, Amen**