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Because God loves you, He Provides- Part 172

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

God proves His love to you by making all things new. Rev. 21:4-5, "He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away. He who was seated on the throne said, "I AM <u>making everything</u> <u>new</u>!" Then He said, "Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true."

The Greek phrase for *making all things new* is **panta kaina** which means *everything fresh, new or unused.* One of the greatest things that God is going to do is to bring a new and fresh start to a world that has gone the wrong direction. There is no denying that as humans, as a whole, we have been a fairly selfish lot. We have sinned against God. We have gone our own way. We have tried to fulfill our flesh instead of our spirit. As a result, Paul puts it this way in Eph. 4:18-19, "They are darkened in their understanding and separated from the life of God because of the ignorance that is in them due to the hardening of their hearts. Having lost all sensitivity, they have given themselves over to sensuality so as to indulge in every kind of impurity, with a continual lust for more."

But, God will step in. He will wipe away every tear. There will be no more: death, mourning, crying or pain. He will bring this world back to what He intended it to be. There will be a new Heaven and a new Earth. And Jesus will rule and reign as He so deserves to. Oh what a day that will be!

Dear Father, we look forward with joy for that day to come. Thank You for already beginning that work in Your children, as You make us brand new creations. We have been forgiven and set free. Thank You Lord. In Jesus Name, Amen