

## **GOD'S LOVE**

*Here's your daily reflection for Jesus is Lord!*

**Jan. 26:** God is not someone who lives far away in a place you can never reach. Nor is He a heavenly warden, eager to punish you for doing wrong. He is a Father who loves you. He says to you:

*"With age-old love I have loved you; so I have kept my mercy toward you."*  
(Jeremiah 31:3)

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**Jan. 27:** Sometimes God seems so far away. Sometimes it seems like we can never reach Him. But He is not far away. He is very close to you, and right now He is trying to show himself to you in a fuller way than ever before. He promises:

*"The LORD is near to all who call upon him, to all who call upon him in truth."*  
(Psalm 145:18)

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**Jan. 28:** God desires your good and loves you more than you love yourself. He promises you:

*"For I know well the plans I have in mind for you, says the LORD, plans for your welfare and not for woe, so as to give you a future of hope. When you call me, and come and pray to me, I will listen to you. When you look for me, you will find me."*  
(Jeremiah 29:11-13)

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**Jan. 29:** You can know God and know how much He loves you. He loves you not because you are good, but because He is good. Let Him speak to your heart:

*"But now, thus says the LORD, who created you, Jacob, and formed you, Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name: you are mine."*  
(Isaiah 43:1)

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**Jan. 30:** God loves you. The Creator of the universe, the one who made all things out of nothing, loves you personally. He wants to care for you and give you true life. He promises: *“In good pastures I will pasture them; on the mountain heights of Israel will be their grazing land. There they will lie down on good grazing ground; in rich pastures they will be pastured on the mountains of Israel. I myself will pasture my sheep; I myself will give them rest—says the Lord GOD. The lost I will search out, the strays I will bring back, the injured I will bind up, and the sick I will heal; but the sleek and the strong I will destroy. I will shepherd them in judgment.”* (Ezekiel 34:14-16)

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**Jan. 31:** Because He loves you, God sent His only Son to save you. He sent Jesus so that you might have eternal life:

*“For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life.”*

(John 3:16)

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**Feb. 1:** God loves you and thirsts for your love. He is speaking to you now, reaching out to you. He is saying to you:

*“All you who are thirsty, come to the water! You who have no money, come, buy grain and eat; Come, buy grain without money, wine and milk without cost! Why spend your money for what is not bread; your wages for what does not satisfy? Only listen to me, and you shall eat well, you shall delight in rich fare. Pay attention and come to me; listen, that you may have life. I will make with you an everlasting covenant, the steadfast loyalty promised to David.”*

(Isaiah 55:1-3)

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