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Because God loves you, He Provides- Part 103

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

God proves His love to you by His satisfying love. **Isa. 58:11** *“The Lord will guide you always; He will satisfy your needs in a sun-scorched land and will strengthen your frame. You will be like a well-watered garden, like a spring whose waters never fail.”*

The Hebrew word for satisfy is vehisbia which means continually fill, give enough or to give in abundance. The Lord will continually satisfy you when you have a need. He is ever watching over you to fill you up when you are going dry.

Do you ever feel like you're spiritually parched? Like you really need to hear from God? Well my friend, He is as close as the mention of His name. **Jer. 33:3** *“Call on me and I will answer you and show you great and mighty things which you do not know.”* The picture here is an oasis. In the Middle East, there are many dry and desert-like areas where not much water can be found. Scattered many miles apart are small patches of vegetation because of the springs of water that supply them. People would chart out their routes to make sure they could make it to the next oasis. There they would find the water and vegetation they needed to drink and feed their animals.

Jesus made this statement in John 7:37-38 *“On the last and greatest day of the festival, Jesus stood and said in a loud voice, ‘Let anyone who is thirsty come to Me and drink. Whoever believes in Me, as Scripture has said, rivers of living water will flow from within them.’”* By this He meant the Spirit, whom those who believed in Him were later to receive. Up to that time the Spirit had not been given, since Jesus had not yet been glorified. Jesus is our living water and He will satisfy you and those around you.

David put it this way in **Ps. 63:1** *“You, God, are my God, earnestly I seek you; I thirst for you, my whole being longs for you, in a dry and parched land where there is no water.”* If you are thirsty today, consider drawing from the well of God. He will fill you to overflowing.

**Dear Father, thank You that You are the one Who can satisfy a weary pilgrim searching for water in a dry and thirsty land. Our land is thirsting for something but they don't know where to look. We know where the water is. You are our living water. Help us to guide many to You. In Jesus Name, Amen**