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**Because God loves you, He Provides- Part 86**

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

God proves His love to you by **His sustaining love**. **Ps. 55:22** *“Cast your cares on the LORD, and He shall sustain you; He shall never let the righteous be shaken.”*

The Hebrew word for *sustain* is *yechalkelecha* which means to hold, to provide for, to nourish, to give provision or sustain. The picture here is that God will continue to hold on to you and never let you go. And not only will He hold you, He will provide for your needs and uphold you in your darkest times. I can tell you that no matter what you've been through or will go through in the future, we have a Father Who will hold us close, know our hurts, and will provide exactly what we need. As David was no doubt faced with burdens and attacks as the king of Israel, he knew where he could go for solace, comfort and peace. Many times, God may allow a burden or trial to come to see what we will do with them. We can either carry the burden and ultimately it will crush us, or we can cast the burden or care upon the LORD for He is surely equipped to carry any weight upon His shoulders. And, once you have cast that care upon the LORD, what right do you have picking it back up and continuing to be burdened with it?

The truest act of faith is to not only cast your cares upon Him, but then to trust that **He** will carry the load and do what He has said He will do. He has done this with our salvation; can He not do it with the much smaller needs of our lives? Paul states it like this in **2 Tim. 1:12** *“for I know Whom I have believed, and am persuaded that He is able to keep that which I've committed unto Him until that day.”* Let your burdens and cares fall upon the shoulders of the One Who can surely carry them. He is longing for us to come to Him and rest in His glorious presence. He wants you to come. Will you?

**Dear Father, we bring our cares, our trials, our hurts and our burdens to You today because we know that You are the only One Who can carry not only the burdens, but the burdened as well. You are strong and powerful and You hold healing in Your hands. We thank You. In Jesus Name, Amen**