

Faithfulness of God

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Exodus 34:6-8 (ESV)

*The Lord passed before him and proclaimed, "The Lord, the Lord, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and **faithfulness**, keeping steadfast love for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin, but who will by no means clear the guilty, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children and the children's children, to the third and the fourth generation. "*

What is Faithfulness?

Deuteronomy 7:9

*Know therefore that the Lord your God is God, the **faithful God who keeps covenant** and steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments, to a thousand generations*

Joshua 21:45

*Not one word of all the good promises that the Lord had made to the house of Israel had failed; **all came to pass.***

What is God faithful in?

- **God Is Faithful in Our Salvation**

1 Corinthians 1:8-9

*[Jesus] who will sustain you to the end, guiltless in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. **God is faithful**, by whom you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord"*

1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

*Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is **faithful**; he will surely do it"*

- **God Is Faithful in Our Victory**

1 Corinthians 10:13

*No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. **God is faithful**, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it*

2 Thessalonians 3:3

*But the Lord is **faithful**. He will establish you and guard you against the evil one"*

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- **God Is Faithful in Forgiving Our Sins**

1 John 1:9

*"If we confess our sins, he is **faithful** and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness"*

Jeremiah 31:34b

... I will forgive their iniquity, and I will remember their sin no more

- **God Is Faithful in our Suffering**

Isaiah 49:14-16

But Zion said, "The Lord has forsaken me; my Lord has forgotten me." "Can a woman forget her nursing child, that she should have no compassion on the son of her womb? Even these may forget, yet I will not forget you. Behold, I have engraved you on the palms of my hands; your walls are continually before me."

What does that mean for us?

Hebrews 10:23

Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful

2 Corinthians 1:20

For all the promises of God find their Yes in him. That is why it is through him that we utter our Amen to God for his glory

John 3:16-18

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him. Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God."