

Great is Thy Faithfulness

1 Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father,
there is no shadow of turning with thee.
Thou changest not, thy compassions, they fail not;
as thou hast been, thou forever wilt be.

Refrain:

Great is thy faithfulness!
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Morning by morning new mercies I see;
all I have needed thy hand hath provided.
Great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

2 Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,
sun, moon, and stars in their courses above
join with all nature in manifold witness
to thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love. [Refrain]

3 Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide,
strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! [Refrain]

You Can't Beat God Giving

You can't beat God giving, no matter how you try.
For just as sure as you are living
and the Lord is in heaven on high.
The more you give, the more He gives to you,
but keep on giving because it's really true
that you can't beat God giving, no matter how you try.

He sends the sun, and He sends the rain
He sends the harvest, golden grain
And He comes to see me, every now and then
Because He's my best friend

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***Theme: "Making a Difference in the Lives of Others by Listening to God
through His Word" - Matthew 5:16 & James 1:22***

Subject: Giving; Giving with a Heart Like Jesus"
1 John 3:17

"Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path."
~ "Psalm 119:105 KJV

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Study, Study, Study
 Share What Our Lord Reveals to You With Self and Others
 Activate and Mobilize Our Lord's instructions
 Serve Others and You will Serve Him
 Study is Spiritual Fertilizer and You Will Grow in Christ Jesus
 Work hard; Study Hard; Dig for Spiritual Truths!



Scriptures
"Giving with a Heart Like Jesus"

"But if anyone has the world's goods and sees his brother in need, yet closes his heart against him, how does God's love abide in him?" - 1 John 3:17 ESV

"For I was hungry, and you gave Me something to eat; I was thirsty, and you gave Me something to drink; I was a stranger, and you invited Me in; naked, and you clothed Me; I was sick, and you visited Me; I was in prison, and you came to Me.' Then the righteous will answer Him, 'Lord, when did we see You hungry, and feed You, or thirsty, and give You something to drink?" - Matthew 25:35-46

"Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by this some have entertained angels without knowing it." - Hebrews 13:2

"Digging for Spiritual Food"



**Subject: "Giving With A Heart Like Jesus"
 "If I have Anything Left?"**

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I want to share with you two situations regarding ***the spirit of giving and sharing***. First, I heard a lady on C-Span expressing her beliefs about giving several days ago. The conversation was about how immigrants from Venezuela legally seeking asslym in our country, the United States of America should be treated. These Venezuelans we running away from a communist dictatorship with its brutality. The lady siad, *"we are spending so much money on "aliens and illegal imigrants and it is not fair. We need to put that money on struggling single mothers, the elderly and others in our own country that are in need. It is America first, we need to take care of our own people, and if we have anthing left, we can then share."* ***"IF THERE IS ANYTING LEFT, we can share; what are your thoughts, missionaries? What is a Christian to do?"***

I also remember years ago when a **relative or two needed to come South for various reasons**, many times a child or a cousin to stay for a period of time; and that family may have just enough for their own family members; but Mama and Daddy would say, *send him or her on down*. They shared what they had- one more in the bed or a pallet on the floor and food portioned in a manner that all were fed. They welccomed them and took care of their needs. Is this same ***spirit of giving*** prevelant in today's society?

Missionaries, what are your thoughts regrding both situations? How is a Christian, a missionary, to think and act? **Study and meditae** on the following printed scriptures: 1 John 3:17; Matthew 23:35-46; and Hebrew 13:2 and the printed hymns as it relates to giving and sharing. What guidance can we receive from these scriptures? **Should your giving be based on "IF YOU HAVE ANYTING LEFT?"** What does it mean to give with a heart like Jesus? **Write and share your story.**