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Ps. 25:6-7, “Remember, LORD, Your great mercy and love, for they are from of old. Do not remember the sins of my youth and my rebellious ways; according to Your love remember me, for You, LORD, are good.”

The Hebrew word for *good* is **tuvecha** which means *the best or completely full of goodness*. When we think about the LORD, it must always enter our minds that He is good; always good; full of goodness. He is thinking good, all day, every day. He doesn't just do good things but instead, everything He does comes from His character of goodness. In fact, there is a saying that many Christians say to each other: **God is good all the time, and all the time God is good.**

I remember my Mom telling me as a young boy, that if I was good, she would reward me with something. It worked many times, but sometimes, no matter how hard I tried, I would slip up and do something wrong. Paul put it this way in his letter to the church in Rome; **Rom. 7:18, “For I know that good itself does not dwell in me, that is, in my sinful nature. For I have the desire to do what is good, but I cannot carry it out.”**

In our sinful nature, we tend towards selfish thoughts and desires. But our God's thoughts are to do good all the time. **Jer. 29:1,1 “For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you a hope and a future.”**

Dear LORD, You are good all the time, and all the time, You are good. We praise You and thank You for being so very good to us. In Jesus Name, Amen