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The Lord wants you to experience real and abundant life:

Ps. 119:89-90 Your word, LORD, is eternal; it stands firm in the heavens. Your faithfulness continues through all generations; You established the earth, and it endures. (NIV)

The word **dabar** is used in the phrase: *Your word*. It means the spoken word or God's revealed word to man. It comes from His mouth and is revealed to us by Him. And this word of God is unchanging. It is eternal. It is synonymous with God and His character. He is the same yesterday, today and forever. Herein lies the great stability of our LORD. He was and is and is to come.

Now what does this mean to us? It means that His word is a solid foundation on which we can stand. It is reliable. It is reasonable. It is right. Unlike many other things, His word will never fail. It will never lead us astray. It will never cause us to choose the wrong direction. It is, just as God is, completely and thoroughly trustworthy. It was so in the beginning. It is so for today. It will be so forever! And the psalmist states this by using its firmness in the heavens. In other words, in the very presence of the LORD Himself. As the LORD is, so is His word.

As a result, there is stability for us in this life. As Paul states in Eph. 4:14 Then we will no longer be infants, tossed back and forth by the waves, and blown here and there by every wind of teaching and by the cunning and craftiness of people in their deceitful scheming. (NIV) Our rock and our foundation is the word of the LORD. When we build on this foundation, we will be able to face the storms of life that buffet against us.

Dear LORD, thank You that You are the word of God that has been revealed to us through Jesus Christ our LORD. You will never change. We can build upon You, the solid rock. In Jesus Name, Amen