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Because God loves you, He Provides- Part 69

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

God proves His love to you by providing **His covenant** love to you. **Deut. 7:9** "Know therefore that the Lord your God is God; He is the faithful God, keeping His <u>covenant</u> of love to a thousand generations of those who love Him and keep His commandments."

The Hebrew word for **covenant** is *habberit* which means *to make a binding agreement with someone*. God is giving us His covenant love. In other words, His love is not based on a feeling, but on a commitment. That is God's kind of love. His love for you doesn't change if you are good or bad. It doesn't change if we disobey or walk away. He is committed to loving you no matter what. That is the kind of love we are to have for each other. A love that doesn't give up, throw in the towel or leave. This is a love of complete commitment forever.

God made a covenant with Abraham and He kept it. God made a covenant with David and He kept it. Jesus made a covenant in His blood with us. And He is keeping it. It is a commitment of love that will never give up or give in. And that, by the way, is the love He commands us to have for others. Eph. 5:25 "Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave Himself up for her."

God's love has committed to you to love you always and continually. He won't stop. He's just going to keep loving you forever! Eph. 5:2 "and walk in love, just as Christ loved us and gave Himself up for us as a fragrant offering and a sacrifice to God."

Dear Father, Thank You that You have committed to loving us forever. Your love will never run out, never fail, never fade or give up. That is Your covenant with us. Thank You LORD. In Jesus Name, Amen