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Because God is loyal and faithful

Ps. 40:5 Many, LORD my God, are the <u>wonders</u> You have done, the things You planned for us. None can compare with You; were I to speak and tell of Your deeds, they would be too many to declare.

The Hebrew word for wonders is **nifle otei cha** which means extraordinary, marvelous, too difficult to explain and full of power. I have to admit that I cannot truly comprehend how magnificent our God truly is. There is so much more to Him that my mind cannot conceive. I agree with the Paul as he was writing to encourage the believers in the church at Corinth in 1 Cor. 2:9-10 "What no eye has seen, what no ear has heard, and what no human mind has conceived" - the things God has prepared for those who love Him - these are the things God has revealed to us by His Spirit. The Spirit searches all things, even the deep things of God.

He then goes on in verse 14 to explain: The person without the Spirit does not accept the things that come from the Spirit of God, but considers them foolishness, and cannot understand them because they are discerned only through the Spirit. When you enter into a relationship with God through what Jesus has done for you, you become a new creation and He, already being LORD of all, becomes your personal LORD. He then gives you the Holy Spirit to be your guide, counselor, and encourager. He opens your spiritual eyes to begin to see things from God's perspective instead of from your own. He is extraordinary, marvelous, and full of power! He is our wonderful Father Who loves us so!

Dear LORD, everything about You is so wonderful. The things You have planned for us are too marvelous for words. I pray that we will never 'get over' being saved and redeemed, In Jesus Name, Amen