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Because God is loyal and faithful

Ps. 70:4 *But may all who seek You rejoice and be glad in You; may those who long for Your saving help always say, "The LORD Is Great!"*

The Hebrew phrase for *great* is **yig dal** which means *magnificent, rich in power, and the highest*. We as people are influenced by those, we think are the best. We look to sports legends, celebrities, leaders, and many other categories to seek out the greatest. But they all fall completely short when the mention of the LORD comes along.

King David puts it this way in **Ps. 40:5** *Many, Lord my God, are the wonders 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.* In other words, David is declaring that there has never been nor will there ever be anyone who is as great as our God. How great is He? He formed the universe with His Word. He fashioned man out of the dust of the ground. He made everything that there is. He holds it all together. He has planned all of eternity and looks forward to the day when His children come home. He is the greatest of all time and beyond. And the greatest part of it all is that He is Your Father, Your Friend, Your Redeemer, Your Advocate, Your Provider, Your Healer, Your Rock, Your Foundation, Your Banner Of Victory, Your Shield, Your Fortress, Your Strong Tower and so much more.

Dear LORD, You are GREAT! There is no one greater. You have done everything for us. May we, then in turn, do for others. Give us Your heart to love and Your eyes to see, In Jesus Name, Amen