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Because God is Loyal and Faithful

***John 6:35 Jesus declared, "I am the bread of life. He who comes to me will never go hungry, and he who believes in me will never be thirsty."(NIV)***

Are you hungry today? Do you feel like you need something? Does it seem like you are empty and void? I can tell you that what you are looking for will always be fulfilled by the only source of true love and joy, Jesus Christ. You might be thinking that if you just had a little more money or more time in your day, that you would be happy. There is a great difference between happiness and joy. Happiness comes and goes. It is dependent upon circumstances and emotions. Look at what Paul states to the church at Philippi in **Phil. 4:11-13** ***I am not saying this because I am in need, for I have learned to be content whatever the circumstances. I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. I can do all this through him who gives me strength. (NIV)*** It is incredibly important for us to understand that what we truly rely on makes all the difference in the world.

There may be times when you wonder how you are going to make it. You might feel alone or hurting inside. Turn to the only one who can truly bring everlasting joy. His name is Jesus.  
**1 Pt. 5:7** ***Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you. (NIV)***