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Because God is Loyal and Faithful

Num. 23:19 God is not human, that he should lie, not a human being, that he should change his mind. Does he speak and then not act? Does He promise and not fulfill? (NIV)

I'm so glad that God is not human because we are a fickle lot. We say one thing and then do another. It seems that finding someone that you can rely on is almost impossible. I have been blessed to have a wonderful wife who has always been faithful as I have been to her. The two have become one. There is joy and confidence in a relationship like that. There is no better picture of this than in the faithfulness of the LORD to His children. His nature cannot and will never change.

It is frustrating and disappointing when someone says they will do something, and then they don't. Humans are not always reliable. We have this quip that we say: "Oh, I changed my mind." God has no need to change His mind because He is perfect in every way. He knows all things. He sees all things. He created all things. There is never going to be a time when our Lord utters this statement: "Wow, I didn't see that coming!" Our Father is the perfect example of faithfulness. What He says He will do, He does it. And because we have this tendency to change our minds, we are miserably unfaithful. Let's be grateful today for the fact that we serve an immutable God. What He says, He does!

Dear Lord, thank You that You are always faithful, always truthful, always there when we need You. You are almighty, perfect God. We find a blessed assurance in You and Your Word. Praise You Lord! In Jesus name, AMEN