



MESSAGE NOTES

Unconditional Promises

2 Peter 1:4

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1. God is for us

Romans 8:31 If God is for us, who can be against us?

God is always only ever on our side. Not because of anything we do but because we're His child. He's never out to oppose you. He's only ever there to support, help and encourage you.

Hebrews 13:5-6 Because God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you." So we say with confidence, "The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid."

2. All things for good

Romans 8:28 And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose.

This is another unconditional promise for every child of God. Because 'all things' includes all your failures and mistakes as well. Your actions and behavior don't have any influence on this promise. God takes it all and works it all for your benefit.

2 Timothy 2:13 If we are faithless, he remains faithful—for he cannot deny himself.

3. Assurance of unfailing love

Luke 15:20 So he got up and went to his father. But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion for him; he ran to his son, threw his arms around him and kissed him.

This is a picture of God's love for you. You may have turned your back on God, but He hasn't stopped loving you. Nothing you could ever do will ever change His love for you.

Isaiah 54:10 "Though the mountains be shaken and the hills be removed, yet my unfailing love for you will not be shaken nor my covenant of peace be removed," says the Lord, who has compassion on you.