

God the Magnificent: Part 2

GRACIOUS AND KIND

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1. God is gracious, kind and loving for _____.

(ABCs of Salvation)

A. God is _____.

"For it is written: Be holy, because I am holy." **1 Peter 1:16 (NIV)**

B. We _____ it!

"For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." **Romans 3:23 (NIV)**

C. Sin _____ us from God.

"But there is a problem: your sins have cut you off from God. Because of your sin, He has turned away and will not listen anymore." **Isaiah 59:2 (NLT)**

D. Wages of sin is _____.

"For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord." **Romans 6:23 (NIV)**

E. God _____.

"God made Him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God." **2 Corinthians 5:21 (NIV)**

F. Faith

"For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life." **John 3:16 (NIV)**

2. God is gracious, kind and loving in _____.

(23)"...not only so, but we ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eager for our adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies (26)"...we do not know what we out to pray for, but the Spirit Himself intercedes for us with groans that words cannot express. (27)And He who searches our hearts knows the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints in accordance with God's will. (28)And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose."

Romans 8:19-34 (NIV)

3. God is gracious, kind and loving when we _____.

(12)"...'Return, faithless Israel,' declares the Lord, 'I will frown on you no longer, for I am merciful,' declares the Lord, 'I will not be angry forever.'" **Jeremiah 2:31-3:5 (NIV)**

(4)"Suppose one of you has a hundred sheep and loses one of them. Does he not leave the ninety-nine in the open country and go after the lost sheep until he finds (10)"In the same way, I tell you, there is rejoicing in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

Luke 15 (NIV)

Next Week: *God the Magnificent* continues with part three: *Shelter and Refuge*. Don't miss it!