

December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Everlasting Father  
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### “Everlasting Father”

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Gen 1:1; Deut 33:27; Ps 90:2; Is 64:8; Gal 3:26; Col 1:17; 2Pet 3:8

Jesus reveals the everlasting \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_;  
John 14:9

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2. He loves you \_\_\_\_\_ .  
Ps 136:26; Jer 31:3; Luke 15:20; Rom 8:38-39; Eph 3:17-19

*What you believe God \_\_\_\_\_  
is the most important thing about you.*

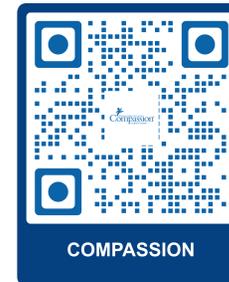
3. He invites us to love others with \_\_\_\_\_  
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How has Jesus been an “Everlasting Father” to you?

How can you emulate the love of the father to the vulnerable today?



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### Jesus reveals the everlasting character of the Father:

John 14:9

1. You have his undivided attention. Is 49:15-16
2. He loves you no matter what.  
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3. He invites us to love others with the love of the Father.  
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