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When You Want to Draw Closer to God

O God, you are my God; I earnestly search for you. My soul thirsts for you; my whole body longs for you in this parched and weary land where there is no water. I have seen you in your sanctuary and gazed upon your power and glory. Your unfailing love is better than life itself; how I praise you! I will praise you as long as I live, lifting up my hands to you in prayer.

You satisfy me more than the richest feast.

I will praise you with songs of joy.

I lie awake thinking of you, meditating on you through the night.

P S A L M 63 : 1 – 6

My heart has heard you say,
“Come and talk with me.” And my heart
responds, “LORD, I am coming.”

P S A L M 27 : 8

All praise to God, the Father of our
Lord Jesus Christ. You are our merciful Father
and the source of all comfort.

2 C O R I N T H I A N S 1 : 3 *

Praise the Lord; praise God our savior!
For each day you carry us in your arms.

P S A L M 68 : 19 *

When You Want to Praise God More

Let all that I am praise the LORD;
with my whole heart, I will praise your holy
name. Let all that I am praise the LORD;
may I never forget the good things you do for me.
You forgive all my sins and heal all my diseases.
You redeem me from death and crown me with
love and tender mercies. You fill my life with
good things. My youth is renewed
like the eagle's!

P S A L M 103:1-5*

Unseal my lips, O Lord,
that my mouth may praise you.

P S A L M 5 1 : 1 5

May all who search for you be filled with joy
and gladness in you. May those who love your
salvation repeatedly shout, “The LORD is great!”

P S A L M 4 0 : 1 6

All praise to you, the Father of our Lord
Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every
spiritual blessing in the heavenly realms
because we are united with Christ.

E P H E S I A N S 1 : 3 *

When You Want to Tell God You Love Him

I love you, LORD; you are my strength.
The LORD is my rock, my fortress, and my
savior; my God is my rock, in whom I find
protection. You are my shield, the power
that saves me, and my place of safety.

P S A L M 1 8 : 1 - 2 *

As for me, I will sing about your power.
Each morning I will sing with joy about your
unfailing love. For you have been my refuge,
a place of safety when I am in distress.
O my Strength, to you I sing praises, for you,
O God, are my refuge, the God who
shows me unfailing love.

P S A L M 5 9 : 1 6 - 1 7

I will praise you, LORD, with all my heart;
I will tell of all the marvelous things you
have done. I will be filled with joy because
of you. I will sing praises to your name,
O Most High.

P S A L M 9 : 1 – 2

Yours, O LORD, is the greatness, the power,
the glory, the victory, and the majesty.
Everything in the heavens and on earth is
yours, O LORD, and this is your kingdom.
We adore you as the one who is over all things.

1 C H R O N I C L E S 29 : 11

Lord, you know everything;
you know that I love you.

J O H N 21 : 17 E S V