



THE GOODNESS OF GOD

THE FUTURE CREATING GOD

GOD CREATES

THE FUTURE

16 That is why it depends on faith, in order **that the promise may rest on grace** and be guaranteed to all his offspring— not only to the adherent of the law but also to the one who shares the faith of Abraham, 17 in the presence of **the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist.**

ROMANS 4:16-17

calling the things that be not as being - YLT

who creates new things out of nothing - NLB

calls things into existence that do not exist - CSB

calling *into* being the things not even existing - BLV

calleth the things that are not, as though they were - ASV

whose command brings into being what did not exist - GNT

makes reference to things that do not exist, as though they did - WNT

summons the things that do not yet exist as though they already do. - NET

ROMANS 4:17

**WHAT THEN SHOULD WE DO
IN RESPONSE TO ALL THIS**

31 What, then, shall we say in response to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us?

Romans 8:31

JESUS EXPLAINING
HIS SUFFERINGS

From that time Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and suffer many things from the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised.

Matthew 16:21

22 And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying,
"Far be it from you, Lord! **This shall never happen to
you.**" 23 But he turned and said to Peter, "Get behind me,
Satan! You are a hindrance to me. For **you are not setting
your mind on the things of God, but on the things of man.**"

Matthew 16:22-23 NEV

8 Finally the other disciple, who had reached the tomb first, also went inside. **He saw and believed.** 9 (They still did not understand from Scripture that Jesus had to rise from the dead.) 10 Then the disciples went back to where they were staying.

John 20:8-10

LISTENING TO JESUS

JOHN

(LEARNING BACK TO ASK)

21 After he had said this, Jesus was troubled in spirit and testified, "Very truly I tell you, one of you is going to betray me."
22 His disciples stared at one another, **at a loss to know which of them he meant.**(Matt 26:22 began to say to him one after another, "Is it I, Lord?") 23 One of them, the disciple whom Jesus loved, was reclining next to him. 24 Simon Peter motioned to this disciple and said, "Ask him which one he means."

John 13:21-27

25 Leaning back against Jesus, he asked him, **“Lord, who is it?”**
26 Jesus answered, “It is the one to whom I will give this piece of bread when I have dipped it in the dish.” Then, dipping the piece of bread, he gave it to Judas, the son of Simon Iscariot. 27 As soon as Judas took the bread, Satan entered into him. So Jesus told him, “What you are about to do, do quickly.”

John 13:21-27

LISTENING TO JESUS

MARY

(KEEP LOW AND LISTEN)

38 As Jesus and his disciples were on their way, he came to a village where a woman named Martha opened her home to him. 39 She had a sister called Mary, who **sat at the Lord's feet listening to what he said.**

Luke 10:38-39

32 When Mary reached the place where Jesus was and saw him, **she fell at his feet** and said, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." 33 When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who had come along with her also weeping, he was deeply moved in spirit and troubled. 34 "Where have you laid him?" he asked. "Come and see, Lord," they replied.

John 11:32-34

2 Here a dinner was given in Jesus' honor. **Martha served,** while Lazarus was among those reclining at the table with him. 3 Then **Mary** took about a pint of pure nard, an expensive perfume; **she poured it on Jesus' feet and wiped his feet with her hair.** And the house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume.

John 12:2-4

7 The poor you will always have with you, and you can help them any time you want. But **you will not always have me.** 8 She did what she could. She poured perfume on my body beforehand **to prepare for my burial.**

Mark 14:7-8

DEVELOP THESE HABITS

I BELIEVE YOU LORD



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