

THE BEST ASSURANCE: GOD IS A PROMISE KEEPER

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WORSHIP

Praise Him Forever,
My Redeemer Lives, Hope
in the Precious Cross, Not
For A Moment (After All),
Amazing Grace (My Chains
Are Gone)

WELCOME

Who is the person you trust
the most? What makes him/
her trustworthy?

WEEKLY PRAYER POINTS

I. Thanksgiving

- Worship God for who He is, what He has done, and what He will do in our lives

II. Country and the World

- Upright and moral governance of newly-elected and incumbent public servants; repentance and salvation for government leaders and citizens for a Christ-centered Philippines.
- For the Russian invasion of Ukraine to stop; peace and order be restored, lives spared.
- God's intervention to restore peace and order in countries going through economic and political turmoil (Sri Lanka, etc.).

III. Church

- That CCF Members would honor and love God and make disciples
- Elders, Pastors, Leaders, and Families
- Ministries and Churches worldwide

IV. CCF Facilities

- Worship and Training Center
- Prayer Mountain

V. Personal Concerns

- Deeper intimate relationship with God
- Righteous living
- Salvation of family and friends

WORD

READ IT!

ROMANS 4:18-25

¹⁸ In hope against hope he believed, so that he might become a father of many nations according to that which had been spoken, "So shall your descendants be." ¹⁹ Without becoming weak in faith he contemplated his own body, now as good as dead since he was about a hundred years old, and the deadness of Sarah's womb; ²⁰ yet, with respect to the promise of God, he did not waver in unbelief but grew strong in faith, giving glory to God, ²¹ and being fully assured that what God had promised, He was able also to perform. ²² Therefore it was also credited to him as righteousness. ²³ Now not for his sake only was it written that it was credited to him, ²⁴ but for our sake also, to whom it will be credited, to us who believe in Him who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead, ²⁵ He who was delivered over because of our wrongdoings, and was raised because of our justification.

PARAPHRASE IT!

Restate the verses in your own words.

TALK ABOUT IT!

- What did you like about these verses?
- What did you learn about God?
- What did you learn about the people?
- What do you learn about God as a promise keeper from the verses?

POINT IT OUT!

- 1. TRUST HIS CHARACTER** — Romans 4:3-8
- 2. TRUST HIS POWER** — Romans 4:9-16, Genesis 15:6-17
- 3. TRUST HIS TIMING** — Romans 4:17-25

WORKS

APPLY IT!

Based on this lesson on "THE BEST ASSURANCE: GOD IS A PROMISE KEEPER", write down your action point to apply what you learned. Make it your "I will..." statement and follow the S.M.A.R.T. guideline to come up with a do-able action point.

- Simple
- Measurable
- Appropriate
- Realistic
- Time-bound

"I will _____

SHARE IT!

Who will you share these truths to this week?

PRAY CARE SHARE IN ACTION

Pray for loved ones to come to faith in the Lord Jesus Christ alone for their salvation. Pray that the Word of God will open their hearts and minds to this truth. Strive to be a person whom other people can trust. Share this message on the best assurance (Romans 4) to them this week.

MEMORY VERSE

ROMANS 4:8

⁸ Blessed is the man whose sin the Lord will not take into account.