

WHAT GOD REMEMBERS THAT WE FORGET PSALM 103:6-18

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The Lord works righteousness and justice for all the oppressed. The oppressed are those who can't help themselves. Widows, orphans, foreigners, and the poor.

2. He _____ to those who _____ it.

The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love.

Psalms 145:9 (NKJV) The Lord is good to all, and His tender mercies are over all His works.

3. He tempers His _____.

He will not always accuse, nor will He harbor His anger forever. He does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our inequities. He's more ready to forgive than we are to be forgiven.

4. He links us with _____ by linking us with _____.

There is nothing we can do about our frailty. Here is our real hope of life that never ends. God's tender mercy, His unfailing love, and His abounding grace. Life without Christ is a hopeless end, but life with Christ is an endless hope.

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