

My soul, bless the LORD, and all that is within me, bless his holy name.
My soul, bless the LORD, and do not forget all his benefits. Psalm 103:1-2

1. Redeeming Love

He forgives all your iniquity; he heals all your diseases. He redeems your life from the Pit; he crowns you with faithful love and compassion. He satisfies you with good things; your youth is renewed like the eagle.
Psalm 103:3-5

The woman whose son was alive spoke to the king because she felt *great compassion* for her son. 1 Kings 3:26

2. Righteous Love

The LORD executes acts of righteousness and justice for all the oppressed. He revealed his ways to Moses, his deeds to the people of Israel. The LORD is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in faithful love. He will not always accuse us or be angry forever. He has not dealt with us as our sins deserve or repaid us according to our iniquities. Psalm 103:6-10

3. Reigning Love

For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his faithful love toward those who fear him. Psalm 103:11

As far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us. As a father has compassion on his children, so the Lord has compassion on those who fear him. For he knows what we are made of, remembering that we are dust. Psalm 103:12-14

4. Remaining Love

As for man, his days are like grass— he blooms like a flower of the field; when the wind passes over it, it vanishes, and its place is no longer known. But from eternity to eternity the LORD's faithful love is toward those who fear him... Psalm 103:15-17

Mankind, he has told each of you what is good and what it is the LORD requires of you: to act justly, to love faithfulness (*hesed*), and to walk humbly with your God. Micah 6:8

Could we with ink the ocean fill,
And were the skies of parchment made,
Were every stalk on earth a quill,
And every man a scribe by trade;
To write the love of God above
Would drain the ocean dry;
Nor could the scroll contain the whole,
Though stretched from sky to sky.

Reflection Question:

Where is God calling you to display His faithful love in serving others?

Scripture from the CSB unless noted.