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THE HEART OF GOD

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"Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."
Matthew 11:28-30

HOW DOES GOD THE FATHER DESCRIBE HIMSELF? (Exodus 34:6-7)

- _____ and _____.
- Slow to _____.
- Abounding in _____ and _____.
- Forgives _____, _____ and sin.

HOW DOES GOD THE SON DESCRIBE HIMSELF? (Matthew 11:28-30)

- _____ and _____ in heart.

HOW CAN I RECEIVE JESUS' OFFER OF REST?

1. _____ I have a _____ (Jeremiah 6:16).
2. I must come _____ (Matt. 11:25; Luke 18:9-14; 1 Peter 5:6; Luke 15:17-21; James 4:6-10).
3. I must _____ the One _____ the offer (Heb. 11:1; 13:8; Isaiah 41:10; Matt. 6:26-27; John 20:30-31).

4. I _____ to whatever God has for my _____ (Matt. 11:28-30; Eph. 2:10; Luke 9:23; Heb. 12:1-2; Jn. 8:31-32).

"If you're falling off a cliff, grabbing onto a weak branch with a strong faith is significantly inferior to grabbing onto a strong branch with a weak faith."
~ Tim Keller ~

- ★ **REMEMBER:** As a believer I can be _____ that God will never _____ me or _____ His heart from me (Phil. 1:6; Heb. 13:5-6; Matt. 28:20; Rom. 8:31-39; John 10:28-30; 14:16).

REFLECTION QUESTIONS:

1. Which of the points mentioned do I struggle with the most? What are the reasons?
2. Has God's heart been truly reflected in my heart? What attitude or behavioral sins need to be confessed?
3. What is my greatest fear in telling God, "Do whatever you want with my life, it's yours."?