

# Unfailing Love

by Mary Wilder Tileston

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*God's love is unfailing and perfect, and it is the foundation of our relationship with Him.*

**Scripture:** Psalm 34:18, Psalm 139:16, Jeremiah 31:3, Romans 5:8, 1 John 4:10

**Topics:** "Gods Love", "Faith Restoration"

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## Description

Mary Wilder Tileston preaches about the profound love of God, emphasizing that our love for God is a response to His initial love for us, as demonstrated by sending His Son to atone for our sins. The imagery of a blind child reaching out to feel its mother's face is used to illustrate our faith reaching out to God. George MacDonald's words express the idea of trusting in God's unchanging perfection even when our own love is lacking, knowing that His love will ultimately restore and transform us. Francois de La Mothe Fenelon encourages those who feel unworthy or unlovable to believe in God's relentless and unwavering love for them.

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## Transcript

Herein is love, not that we loved God, but that He loved us, and sent His Son to be the propitiation for our sins.

1 John 4:10

I saw a little child, with bandaged eyes,

Put up its hands to feel its mothers' face;

She bent, and took the tender groping palms,

And pressed them to her lips a little space.

I know a soul made blind by its desires,

And yet its faith keeps feeling for God's face,

Bend down, O Mighty Love, and let that faith

One little moment touch Thy lips of Grace.

ANNA J. GRANNIS

If I felt my heart as hard as a stone; if I did not love God, or man, or woman, or little child, I would yet say to God in my heart, "O God, see how I trust Thee, because Thou are perfect, and not changeable like me. I do not love Thee, I love nobody. I am not even sorry for it. Thou seest how much I need Thee to come close to me, to put Thy arm round me, to say to me, my child; for the worse my state, the greater my need of my Father who loves me. Come to me , and my day will dawn; my love will come back, and , oh! how I shall love Thee, my God! and know that my love is Thy love, my blessedness Thy being."

GEORGE MACDONALD

Be persuaded, timid soul, that He has loved you too much to cease loving you.

FRANCOIS DE LA MOTHE FENELON

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