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"What comes into our minds when we think about God is the most important thing about us".

A.W. Tozer

The Lord descended in the cloud and stood with him there and proclaimed the name of the Lord. The Lord passed before him and proclaimed, “The Lord, the Lord, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness, keeping steadfast love for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin, but who will by no means clear the guilty, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children and the children’s children, to the third and the fourth generation.”

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But you are a God ready to forgive, gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love, and did not forsake them.

But you, O Lord, are a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness.

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

Psalm 103:8

Return to the Lord your God,
for he is gracious and merciful,
slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love;
and he relents over disaster.

Joel 2:13

And he prayed to the Lord and said, “O Lord, is not this what I said when I was yet in my country? That is why I made haste to flee to Tarshish; for I knew that you are a gracious God and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love, and relenting from disaster

Jonah 4:2

Real counsel is rooted in the Word
of God and the character God.

God's Selfies

1. Merciful

Can a woman forget her nursing child,
that she should have no compassion on the
son of her womb? Even these may forget,
yet I will not forget you.

Isaiah 49:15



Real Counsel:

God was compassionate to me;

THEREFORE, I will pursue compassion to others.

God's Selfies

1. Merciful
2. Gracious

“To find favor in your eyes, my lord.”

Genesis 33:8

The background of the image is a photograph of a sunset or sunrise over a body of water. The sky transitions from a deep teal at the top to a bright orange and yellow near the horizon. The water in the foreground is calm and reflects the colors of the sky. A dark, silhouetted shoreline is visible in the distance. Overlaid on this background is white text.

Real Counsel:

God delighted to be gracious to me.

THEREFORE, I will pursue being gracious to others.

God's Selfies

1. Merciful
2. Gracious
3. Slow to Anger



The background of the image is a photograph of a calm body of water, likely a lake or sea, under a soft, hazy sky. The horizon line is visible in the lower third of the frame. The sky transitions from a pale yellow near the horizon to a deep teal at the top. The water reflects the light from the sky, creating a shimmering effect. Overlaid on this background is a semi-transparent teal rectangle that covers the upper two-thirds of the image. The text is white and centered within this rectangle.

Real Counsel:

God demonstrates patience with me.

THEREFORE, I will pursue patience with others.

God's Selfies

1. Merciful
2. Gracious
3. Slow to Anger
4. Steadfast Love





The background of the image is a photograph of a calm body of water, likely a lake or a wide river, under a soft, hazy sky. The horizon line is visible in the lower third of the frame, with a gentle gradient of colors from a pale yellow near the water to a light blue above. A semi-transparent teal gradient is applied over the entire image, creating a cohesive and peaceful atmosphere.

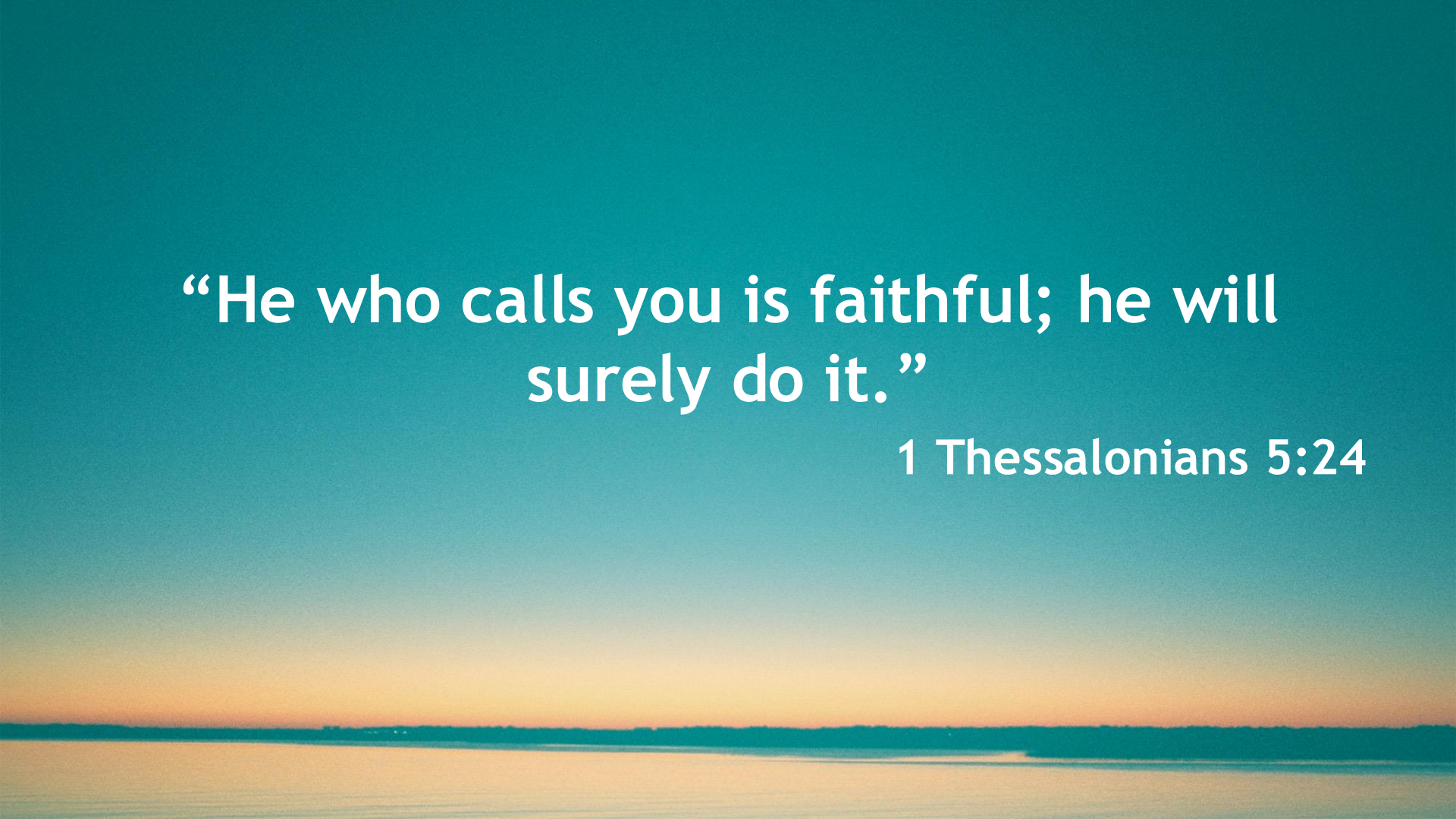
Real Counsel:

My Hero, out of love, was impaled for me.

THEREFORE, I will portray a life of love for Him

God's Selfies

1. Merciful
2. Gracious
3. Slow to Anger
4. Steadfast Love
5. Faithfulness

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“He who calls you is faithful; he will
surely do it.”

1 Thessalonians 5:24

God's Selfies

1. Merciful
2. Gracious
3. Slow to Anger
4. Steadfast Love
5. Faithfulness



Real Counsel:

God has been faithful to me.

THEREFORE, I will pursue a faithful life for Him.

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