

GOD'S LOVE IS BETTER THAN LIFE

SUMMER IN THE PSALMS

Pastor Harold Long

August 8, 2021

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your right hand upholds me."

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(Scriptures affirming the need for confession)

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- **Wednesday: 1 John 4:16, 16** And so we know and rely on the love God has for us. God is love. Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in them.
- **Thursday: Isaiah 54:10, 10** Though the mountains be shaken and the hills be removed, yet my unfailing love for you will not be shaken nor my covenant of peace be removed," says the Lord, who has compassion on you.
- **Friday: Romans 5:8, 8** But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.
- **Saturday: Psalm 136:36, 26** Give thanks to the God of heaven. His love endures forever.

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