

Deacon's Beacons

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Know therefore that the LORD your God is God, the faithful God who keeps covenant and steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments, to a thousand generations, Deuteronomy 7:9

This is one of the proclamations of the Lordship of God. The site that I have been using for Random Bible Verses just made some changes so I am not sure if that is why this passage cuts off. But the continuation of the passage talks about God cursing those who do not listen. Let us leave that for another time. Here we see that God promises to love those who love Him. But in the Gospels, Jesus says that even Pharisees and tax collector do the same. So, how does God differ from us? We know that God does not hold our sins against us if we truly repent. And all of us are sinners. So rejoice that, in the New Testament, as fulfillment of the Old Testament, we experience the love and forgiveness of God through the person and ministry of Jesus Christ. A God Who would choose to die in our place cannot be seen as a vengeful God.

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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