WHO DOES YOUR SOUL BLESS? FORGET NOT HIS BENEFITS PSALM 103:1-22

- I. WE ARE TO BLESS THE LORD WITH OUR WHOLE HEARTS: David commands his own soul to bless the Lord, to bless His holy Name (1-2a)
- II. WE ARE NOT TO FORGET HIS KIND DEEDS... Don't forget one!!! (2b-18)
 - A. HIS KIND DEEDS TOWARD US: What He has done for us in Christ (3-5)
 - 1. He pardons all our iniquity and is the healer of all our diseases (3)
 - 2. He purchased our lives from the pit (4a)
 - 3. He crowns us with His lovingkindness and compassion (4b, 8)
 - 4. He causes us to be satisfied with good, so that we are renewed (5)
 - **B. HIS KIND DEEDS FOR ALL:** The Lord does what is right and executes judgment for all who are oppressed (6)
 - C. THE LORD MADE KNOWN HIS WAYS TO ISRAEL AND THUS TO THOSE WHO FEAR HIM: The Lord revealed He is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in lovingkindness (7-14)
 - 1. <u>The Lord is...compassionate and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in lovingkindness</u> (8)
 - 2. He will not always strive with us or keep His anger (9)
 - 3. He has not deal with us and recompensed us according to our sin (10)
 - 4. A glorious explanation for those **who fear Him** (11-14)
 - a) <u>His great loving kindness brought about the complete removal of our sin</u>
 - b) He has Fatherly compassion upon us, being mindful of our frame
 - 5. Man's days are passing but the Lord's lovingkindness is everlasting, and His righteousness endures for those **who fear Him**, obey His Word (15-18)
- III. THE LORD IS ESTABLISHED OVER ALL...SO BLESS THE LORD, all His angels and His works, <u>BLESS THE LORD O MY SOUL!</u> (19-22)