

**Psalm 116:1-2, "I love the Lord, because he hath heard my voice and my supplications. Because he hath inclined his ear unto me, therefore will I call upon him as long as I live."**

Why do you love the Lord?



I took the time to contemplate this question. I've included a few of my answers below.

What would be your answers?

Why I love You, Lord:

- Because of Your beautiful gift of salvation which I do not deserve. Thank you for bearing the awful pain and shame of the cross for me.
- Because of Your sea of forgetfulness. While I still carry the remembrance and scars of my sins, You forget them. I look forward to Heaven when I shall carry them no more. Yet, I am thankful for them now because they help keep my heart humble. Micah 7:9
- Because of Your tender mercies and compassion that flows to me new every morning. And Your gift of life each day I awake: You always give me another chance. Lam. 3:22-23
- Because of Your innumerable thoughts just for me. Ps. 139:17-18
- Because of the calling You have given me to do for You despite my sinful short fallings. Your calling gives me purpose and meaning to my life. 2 Tim. 1:9
- Because of Your precious Word which speaks to my heart and gives me direction. Ps. 143:8-11
- Because of the loved ones here on earth that You have placed in my life. They are gifts from You to show me how much You love me. Help me always see them as such and value them greatly.
- Because of the pain and suffering which You have helped me endure. These experiences help me appreciate and know better Your heart towards me. It draws me closer to You in sweet fellowship. Phil. 3:10
- Because You created me and gave me freedom to choose.
- Because You created Heaven for me and for my loved ones who have gone on before me. I look forward to seeing them again.
- Because there is no limit on what You will give me in order to do Your will for my life. There is a limit on what You will allow me to seek after to destroy my life. Thank you for these boundaries.

- Because of the spiritual people You have placed in my life which influence me, answer Bible questions and provide me with Biblical counseling. Mal. 2:7
- Because of the bridal gown and regal robe You have prepared for me in Heaven. Thank you for giving me opportunities to earn jewels to wear at Your Royal Inauguration and place at your feet as my gift of love for You. Is. 61:10
- Because you give me the privilege to love You and bring You joy, rest, and a song. Help me to live my life in such a manner that when You sing about me, it is a song You enjoy singing. Zeph. 3:17
- Because You allow me to come to Your throne through prayer. Thank you for the promised power of prayer. Matt. 18:19-20