Dear Friends in Christ.

Praise the name of the Lord in whom we place our complete TRUST.

Proverbs 3:5-6 "Trust in the LORD with all your heart, And lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He shall direct your paths."

Notice that it doesn't say trust the Lord, but, trust in the Lord. We have all had people take advantage of us using the simple phrase; "trust me". The problem with that is the fact that we don't know them well enough to trust them. We have trusted people we know and they to have let us down. So what makes the difference? It is the character and nature of the one we trust. When we trust in the Lord, we trust Who He Is and not just what He does. I TRUST IN HIS LOVE:

Psalms 13:5, NIV "But I <u>trust</u> in your <u>unfailing love</u>; my <u>heart rejoices</u> in your salvation. Psalms 143:8 Cause me to hear Your lovingkindness in the morning, For in You do I trust; <u>Cause me to know the way in which I should walk</u>, For I lift up my soul to You. I TRUST IN HIS CARE:

1 Peter 5:7 "Casting all your care upon Him, for He cares for you." HOW DO WE KNOW HE LOVES AN CARES FOR US?

John 3:16 "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life."

Romans 8:32 "He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things?"

Psalms 37:3-4 "Trust in the LORD, and do good; Dwell in the land, and feed on His faithfulness. Delight yourself also in the LORD, And He shall give you the desires of your heart."

Psalms 84:11-12 "For the LORD God is a sun and shield; The LORD will give grace and glory; No good thing will He withhold From those who walk uprightly. O LORD of hosts, Blessed is the man who trusts in You!"

Psalms 56:3-4 "Whenever I am afraid, I will trust in You. In God (I will praise His word), In God I have put my trust; I will not fear. What can flesh do to me?"

WHEN WE PUT OUR TRUST IN THE LORD IT BRINGS US SUCH JOY AND PEACE.

Psalms 5:11 "But let all those rejoice who put their trust in You; Let them ever shout for joy, because You defend them; Let those also who love Your name Be joyful in You."

Psalms 28:7 "The LORD is my strength and my shield; My heart trusted in Him, and I am helped; Therefore my heart greatly rejoices, And with my song I will praise Him."

Psalms 40:3-4 "He has put a new song in my mouth--Praise to our God; Many will see it and fear, And will trust in the LORD. Blessed is that man who makes the LORD his trust, And does not respect the proud, nor such as turn aside to lies."

Psalms 91:2 "I will say of the LORD, "He is my refuge and my fortress; My God, in Him I will trust."

I want to encourage you today to put your complete TRUST in the Lord. He is trustworthy!!!!

Thanks again for all your love, prayers, friendship and support. Your Servant in Christ. ><> Wayne Brooke<><