

God Is Kind

I will tell of the kindnesses of the Lord,
the deeds for which he is to be
praised,
according to all the Lord has done for
us—
yes, the many good things he has done
for the house of Israel,
according to his compassion and
many kindnesses.

This is what the Lord says:

"Let not the wise man boast of his
wisdom
or the strong man boast of his
strength
or the rich man boast of his riches,
but let him who boasts boast about
this:
that he understands and knows
me,
that I am the Lord, who exercises
kindness,
justice and righteousness on
earth,
for in these I delight,"
declares the Lord.

At one time we too were foolish,
disobedient, deceived and enslaved by
all kinds of passions and pleasures.
We lived in malice and envy, being
hated and hating one another. But when
the kindness and love of God our Savior
appeared, he saved us, not because of
righteous things we had done, but
because of his mercy.

Isaiah 63:7; Jeremiah 9:23-24
Titus 3:3-5a