

## “HE CARES FOR YOU”

### INTRODUCTION

**A. Psalm 142:4**

Do you ever feel as David once did, that “no one cares for [your] soul”?

**B. Mark 4:38-39**

Jesus was once accused of not caring. He proved His care, however, in rebuking the wind, and thus providing peace to those in doubt.

**C. Matthew 9:36; 23:37**

Jesus exhibited matchless compassion for the people. Nevertheless, if one is unwilling to accept His care, Jesus’ concern for him is worthless.

**D. 1<sup>st</sup> Peter 5:6-7**

We need to cast our cares upon Christ, for He does care for us.

### I. HE BECAME POOR THAT YOU MAY BECOME RICH

**A. 2<sup>nd</sup> Corinthians 8:9**

**B. Philippians 2:5-7**

Jesus took the lowly form of a servant while upon this earth.

**C. Matthew 6:19-20**

These things were done, that we might lay up treasures in heaven.

### II. HE BECAME HOMELESS THAT YOU MAY HAVE A HOME

**A. Matthew 8:20**

While abiding on the earth Jesus had no home.

**B. John 14:1-3**

Now in heaven He prepares our home: mansions!

**C. 2<sup>nd</sup> Corinthians 5:1-8**

This home will be eternal.

**III. HE BECAME HUNGRY THAT YOU MAY BE FED**

**A. Matthew 4:1-4**

Jesus fasted and was hungry. He taught that one must be fed by God's word.

**B. John 6:51, 57-58**

He offers living bread.

**IV. HE BECAME THIRSTY THAT YOU MAY DRINK**

**A. John 19:28**

Jesus thirsted, but was offered nothing to quench it.

**B. John 4:5-14**

He thirsted. He offers a better drink.

**C. Revelation 22:17**

He invited us to drink living water!

**D. Matthew 5:6**

If our appetite is healthy we will be filled!

**V. HE BECAME WEARY THAT YOU MAY HAVE REST**

**A. John 4:6**

Jesus experienced fatigue.

**B. Matthew 11:28-30**

He offers rest.

**C. Hebrews 4:1-11**

We must labor to enter that rest.

**VI. HE WEPT THAT YOUR TEARS MAY BE WIPED AWAY**

**A. John 11:35; Luke 19:41**

Christ cared enough to weep.

**B. Revelation 21:4**

He promises that our tears will be wiped away.

**VII. HE WAS CURSED THAT YOU MAY BE BLESSED**

**A. Galatians 3:13-14**

Christ accepted the curse we deserve in order to provide us blessings.

**B. Ephesians 1:3**

All those blessings are available in Him.

**VIII. HE DIED THAT YOU MAY LIVE**

**A. Hebrews 2:9**

He tasted death for everyone.

**B. Romans 5:8-10**

This is the proof of God's love for us.

**C. Isaiah 26:19**

The promise of life after death is guaranteed in the resurrection of Christ.

**D. 1<sup>st</sup> Thessalonians 5:9-11**

It is a true source of comfort to dwell on this thought.