*Tuesday, February 12, 2013*

**Daily Bread for Life**

Isaiah 63:7 I will mention the lovingkindnesss of the LORD, and the praises of the LORD, according to all that the LORD **hath bestowed on us**, and the great goodness toward the house of Israel, which he hath bestowed on them according to his mercies, and according to the multitude of his lovingkindnesss. (KJV)

Strong’s: 1580 gamal (gaw-mal'); a primitive root; to treat a person (well or ill), i.e. benefit or requite; by implication (of toil), to ripen, i.e. (specifically) to wean: KJV-- bestow on, deal bountifully, do (good), recompense, requite, reward, ripen, + serve, mean, yield.

I John 3:1-3 Behold, what manner of love the Father **hath bestowed** upon us, that we should be called the sons of God: therefore the world knoweth us not, because it knew him not. Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is (face to face with the love of God). And every man that hath this hope in him (a living hope) purifieth himself, even as he is pure. (KJV)

He loved us before we loved Him; and regardless of ourselves God loves us and has given us bountifully of His love, wisdom, power, and righteousness in and through His Son Christ Jesus so that we could overcome this present evil world and our old natures to be called one of His sons or daughters; And to show forth His love and let His light shine in this dark are dreary world that one more may seek and desire to become called a son or daughter of God through our example and experience the hope of glory, a living hope, face to face with the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord as we have. With this said…be thankful for the love which our Father in heaven has bestowed upon you and always share His love.

In conclusion dearly loved, for this cause I bow my knees unto the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Of whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named, That he would grant you, according to the riches of his glory, to be strengthened with might by his Spirit in the inner man; That Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith; that ye, being rooted and grounded in love, May be able to comprehend with all saints what is the breadth, and length, and depth, and height; And to know the love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that ye might be filled with all the fulness of God. Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us, Unto him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen.