

## **Describing the Indescribable**

Our God is able, alive and awesome, He is our *anchor*.

He is artistic and almighty, the Alpha, yet our *abba father*,

He is approachable and the author of our faith. He is beautiful and our burden bearer, the breaker of our chains. And his love is boundless, evidenced in the bruises he bore for us.

He is the creator of all things and the one constant of the universe. He is compassionate, yet a conquerer, our comforter and companion. He is the covenant keeper and our Cornerstone.

He is our defender and deliverer and is exalted, everlasting and extraordinary, our encourager and example, our ever present El Shaddai.

He is our Father in heaven and our faithful friend; fair and forgiving and the fountain of life.

He is our fortress and our guard, our guide and gate. He is glorious and gentle, generous and Great. He is our healer and helper, our hiding place.

He is holy, holy, holy and yet humble enough to take on flesh and dwell amongst us.

He is innocent and incomparable, our intercessor, the great I AM. Infinite and invincible, immutable and immortal, immovable, and yet involved in the smallest details of our lives.

He is our just judge, He's name is Jesus.

The King of Kings and our keeper, our Lord of Lords and our loving, life giving Lion of Judah - the light, and the limitless, long-suffering lamb of God, who took away the sins of the world.

He is magnificent and mighty, majestic and merciful, our miracle working Messiah.

He is near, never-failing, never-ending, name above all names, and our overcoming Omega. He is omnipotent, omniscient and omnipresent, the one and only true God.

The prince of peace and powerful perfecter of our souls, our preserving High Priest and personal physician. He is our protector...yet was pierced though He was pure.

He is the righteous ruler, our Rock and refuge, our refresher and restorer, redeemer and our rest. Jesus is our resurrected rescuer! He is our strong saviour, the son of God, the great shepherd of the sheep, our suffering servant and sovereign King.

He is our salvation, our sacrifice and our sustainer. He is our shield and He is our shelter.

He is trustworthy and true, our teacher and treasure, the transcendent trinity, who is unstoppable, unshakable, unchangeable and unique in all the universe.

Our God is virtuous and victorious our valiant vindicator. Wise and wonderful is the one who makes us whole. He is worthy, worthy, worthy is the lamb who was slain, the water of life, the way and the word, the wounded winner of our souls.

He is exceptional and extraordinary, extravagant, yet he yearns for us to know him, for He is Yahweh and He is Zealous for you.

So zealous was He, that this God I have attempted to describe for you, clothed himself in humanity, bore flesh, was wounded for our transgressions, His back torn and his face battered and bruised.

Taunted and spat upon, driven through the jeering crowds, a cross beam on his back

So infinite is His love for you, that He allowed the guards to take His arms and drive iron spikes through His wrists, overlapping His feet and doing the same, crowned with thorns, until He was hoisted up for all to see, and mock Him as he hung on the cross of Calvary.

Our mighty protector, our tower and our strength, in apparent defeated weakness that day, drank in full the wrath of God for all our sin, until our faithful and forever king,

cried out - It is finished.

Then he breathed his last.

Or so they thought.

For three days later, trumping over sin and sickness, conquering death and hell, Jesus Christ, the son of God rose from the grave and is mighty to save; the last and the lost, the least of these would have a brother in Christ forever,

And so now together, we will remember him, in hopeful anticipation, breaking bread in our homes, we will take and eat and drink until he comes. Amen

