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Who do you trust in life? If you were in a difficult situation and you didn't know what to do, to whom would you turn for help? These verses remind us that throughout our lives, in both good times and bad, we need to learn to trust in God.

Why? Because God is worthy of our trust. The Bible tells us that God is the loving creator of everything and everyone. God made you, and he knows everything about you. God loves you with an everlasting love and he will always do what's best for you. God is good, and kind, and wise. His plans and purposes are good and wise, too. So, we should trust God completely.

What does it mean to trust God with your heart? It means 1) listening to God's instructions in the Bible, 2) believing that God's words are good and right, and 3) deciding that you will do what God says. Trusting in the Lord means following him. Instead of relying on your own understanding and doing what you think is best, you learn to rely on God's understanding and do what he thinks is best.

A big part of living the Christian life is trusting in God and following what he says in the Bible. As you do that, God will help you be successful in life. That doesn't mean life will always be easy or that you'll have a big house or a lot of money. It does mean that God will help you avoid sin and the consequences that go along with sin. God will help you live the very best kind of life, a life that is pleasing to him.