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How many of us love someone who lives far away from what we call home? It seems we all have a sibling, child, grandchildren, or even deceased member of our family that we can't see or hold. The point is we still love them, no matter where they are. God loves us no matter where we are in life. The difference is, God is always there to talk to, or to hold onto, in the good times and the bad. Our Lord is always there, holding onto us, leading us, guiding us through life. We may not feel or see the presence of God in our distress or the good times, but do we look to see? All we have to do is turn toward Him, and we can begin to see more clearly the one who is always with us by our side. We may think we have achieved things on our own, but we have not. Imagine we are looking at a picture of a child walking away from us, down the road holding the hand of a parent. What do you see? Do you see trust and guidance? We are that child; God is the parent holding our hand as we walk down the road of life.