

Daily Devotion For April 23, 2022

“O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, his love endures forever.”

For years, the chorus, “God is so good, God is so good, God is so good, he’s so good to me” has been sung in many churches. Yesterday, Sherry and I got another taste of the goodness of God. As Sherry turned 26 years of age earlier this month, she was to lose her medical coverage under my medical plan with the Board of Pensions of the Presbyterian Church USA. At the beginning of 2022, Sherry was also denied receiving any social security benefits. So getting medical coverage for Sherry has been a priority over the last few months.

We appreciated Anne Wilbur who connected us this past week with a friend of hers who is a Medical Insurance Broker. The broker went through a number of options for Sherry and recommended to her coverages that ranged from \$478 to \$968 per month. As we contemplated which option to go with, we talked about how good God has been to us in the way he has provided coverage for Sherry through her illness and how fortunate we are compared to many other people who don’t have insurance or need insurance but can’t afford it.

As we had arranged to contact the broker on Friday afternoon to give him our decision, I made one last call to the Board of Pension at 5:30 a.m. to see if they had accepted my petition for an exception for Sherry as a Disabled Dependent. I was so filled with joy that my petition was accepted and Sherry can continue with my medical plan. Even though it was 5:30 a.m., I knocked on Sherry’s bedroom door and shared with her the good news.

Thought For Today: In what ways have you seen the goodness of God in your life recently? Did you share that good news with others to encourage them and remind them of how good God is?

Today’s Prayer Focus: Take time to praise God today for his abundant goodness. Deo Volente.