



# NEW HEART BEAT DEVOTIONS

*“Jesus promises, to those who accept Him, eternal life with an unconditional guaranteed.”*

## Those Darn Socks

*For many years, I would wear out a regular pair of socks in about 3 months. For some reason, I got holes in the heel area. About two years ago, my father found a place that sold socks with reinforced heels. They lasted nine months. He went back to purchase more but they were no longer made.*

*I was relating this dilemma to a postal worker. She told me about her socks which had a lifetime guarantee. She said that she got those darn socks from the internet. She had them for a year and one of them got a tear in it. She called the company. The company sent her a free one with no hassles.*

*I ran home and looked up “[Darn Tough Socks](#)” on the internet. She was right. Reviews on the socks were amazing. Several were independently tested for a year in different environments, including hiking, sports, construction work and very hot and cold conditions -all zero complaints. One did get a hole because the wearer stepped on a nail. The sock was replaced for free, with no hassle and no receipt needed. The year-old pair were placed next to a new out-of-the-box pair and it was hard to tell the difference. There are over 16,300 videos on the internet about people telling and showing how great these socks were.*

*They are made in the USA. They are made out of merino wool, with uncompromised comfort, durability and fit. They are machine washable and can be put in the dryer. They can be worn for days with no odor. Truly, it would be the only pair that you would have to buy in your life.*

*You can guess what I got in my Christmas stocking. They were expensive but the way I go through socks, it would be a cost savings in a year. Even if I wear a hole in them, I will never have to buy another pair of socks because they are unconditionally guaranteed for life. I wore a pair for 48 hours. I put them on the floor with a clean pair. I could not tell or smell the difference. I would be happy to show them.*

*This reminds me of something else that is also unconditionally guaranteed but for eternity: “For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.” John 3:16 The forever socks cost a lot but eternal life is free to us: “For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast.” Eph 2:8, 9 It cannot be nullified by any condition or event or action by another: “And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of My hand.” John 10:28 It is sealed with a promise. “In whom ye also trusted, after that ye heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation: in whom also after that ye believed, ye were sealed with that Holy Spirit of promise.” Eph 1:13 Jesus, Himself, used the word never. “He hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee.” Heb 13:5 Like the socks’, God’s guarantee can also be hard to believe. However, John writes: “These things have I written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God; that ye may know that ye have eternal life, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God.” 1 John 5:13*

*Today, order your socks and accept Jesus’ promise. In both cases, you will be glad you did.*



Picture from  
Darn Tough  
about their socks.

Their promise:  
Unconditionally  
guaranteed  
for life.

*Charles L Stambaugh*

“And this is the promise that He hath promised us, even eternal life.”

I John 2:25



God’s promise: Unconditional  
guaranteed eternal life.

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