

# FRED'S NOT SO GOOD DAY

*Theme: God is good all the time.*

*Scripture: Psalm 107:1*



Have you ever flown in a plane? Was it fun?

Well, today's story is about a man named Fred who always wanted to fly in a plane. So one day he went over to Norwood airport, hopped on a plane and took off. The plane was a little plane with two engines – one on each wing.

Unfortunately, while Fred was flying around the countryside, one of the engines conked out! Fortunately, there was still another engine, so the plane could still fly. Unfortunately, after a while the other engine conked out, too!

Fortunately, he was wearing a parachute, and he jumped out of the plane. Unfortunately, the parachute didn't open, so he began falling like a rock! Fortunately, he was over a lake, so instead of landing on the hard ground, he landed in the water.

Unfortunately, Fred didn't know how to swim. Fortunately, a man in a boat came along and pulled Fred out of the water. Unfortunately, the boat sprang a leak and began to sink. Fortunately, the man with the boat knew how to swim, and he pulled Fred to the shore. Whew!

There sure were a lot of good things and bad things in Fred's day, weren't there? But, you know, life is like that. There are times when things are good, and times when things are bad. But there are things that are always good. God is always good. And God's love for us is always good.

Here's what it says in Psalm 107 (verse 1): "Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever."

No matter how bad things get, God is good, and he always loves us.

Let's pray about that: Dear Lord, sometimes we have good days, and sometimes we have bad days. Thank you for always loving us no matter what. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen