

"PSALM 34"

Psalms of Summer :: Part 3

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Psalms 34

¹ I will magnify the Lord at all times; his praise will always be on my lips.

² I will glory in the Lord; let the afflicted hear and rejoice. ³ Glorify the Lord with me; let us exalt his name together.

⁴ I sought the Lord, and he answered me; he delivered me from all my fears. ⁵ Those who look to him are radiant; their faces are never covered with shame. ⁶ This poor man called, and the Lord heard him; he saved him out of all his troubles. ⁷ The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear him, and he delivers them.

⁸ Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed is the one who takes refuge in him.

⁹ Fear the Lord, you his holy people, for those who fear him lack nothing.

¹⁰ The lions may grow weak and hungry, but those who seek the Lord lack no good thing.

¹¹ Come, my children, listen to me; I will teach you the fear of the Lord.

¹² Whoever of you loves life and desires to see many more good days,

¹³ keep your tongue from evil and your lips from telling lies. Turn from evil and do good; seek peace and pursue it.

¹⁵ The eyes of the Lord are on the righteous, and his ears are attentive to their cry; ¹⁶ but the face of the Lord is against those who do evil, to blot out their name from the earth. ¹⁷ The righteous cry out, and the Lord hears them; he delivers them from all their troubles.

¹⁸ The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and rescues those who are crushed in spirit.

¹⁹ The righteous person may have many troubles, but the Lord delivers them from them all; ²⁰ he protects all their bones, not one of them will be broken.

²¹ Evil will slay the wicked; the foes of the righteous will be condemned.

²² God will redeem his servants; no one who takes refuge in him will be condemned.