

“PSALM 27”

Summer Road Trip :: Part 7

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Psalm 27:1-14 *The Lord is my light and my salvation—whom shall I fear?*

The Lord is the stronghold of my life—of whom shall I be afraid?

² *When the wicked advance against me to devour me, it is my enemies and my foes who will stumble and fall.* ³ *Though an army besiege me, my heart will not fear; though war break out against me, even then I will be confident.*

⁴ *One thing I ask from the Lord, this only do I seek: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze on the beauty of the Lord and to seek him in his temple.*

⁵ *For in the day of trouble he will keep me safe in his dwelling; he will hide me in the shelter of his sacred tent and set me high upon a rock.*

⁶ *Then my head will be exalted above the enemies who surround me; at his sacred tent I will sacrifice with shouts of joy; I will sing and make music to the Lord.*

⁷ *Hear my voice when I call, Lord; be merciful to me and answer me.* ⁸ *My heart says of you, “Seek his face!” Your face, Lord, I will seek.*

⁹ *Do not hide your face from me, do not turn your servant away in anger; you have been my helper. Do not reject me or forsake me, God my Savior.* ¹⁰ *Though my father and mother forsake me, the Lord will receive me.*

¹¹ *Teach me your way, Lord; lead me in a straight path because of my oppressors.* ¹² *Do not turn me over to the desire of my foes, for false witnesses rise up against me, spouting malicious accusations.*

¹³ *I remain confident of this: I will see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living.*

¹⁴ *Wait for the Lord; be strong and take heart and wait for the Lord.*