

My Hiding Place

Psalm 91

Introduction:

Scripture: Psalm 91 The eternal God is thy refuge—Underneath are the everlasting arms

Divided into four sections:

Call:

Response:

Elaboration:

God Speaks:

What does the fortress look like? V. 1, 2

1. Elyon "The Most High": _____
2. Shaddai "The Almighty": _____
3. Jehovah "the Lord" : _____
4. Elohim "God the Creator"

What should our response be? V. 2

What are our rich Blessings? V. 3–13

What does the Word of the Lord say? V. 14–16

- The Lord does _____ V. 14
- The Lord hears and answers His people's _____ V 15
- The Lord blesses His people with His _____ V 15
- He satisfies His people with _____ V 16
- He shows His people His _____ V 16

When we look back on our life from the perspective of eternity, we are going to see that the power of Satan was so great, that the weakness of our flesh was feeble, and the hostility of the world was so strong, that every day of our lives—if God had not intervened—we would never have made it through a day." –John Calvin

Security of the One Who Trusts in the LORD.

- 1 He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High
Will abide in the shadow of the Almighty.
- 2 I will say to the LORD, "My refuge and my fortress,
My God, in whom I trust!"
- 3 For it is He who delivers you from the snare of the trapper
And from the deadly pestilence.
- 4 He will cover you with His pinions,
And under His wings you may seek refuge;
His faithfulness is a shield and bulwark.
- 5 You will not be afraid of the terror by night,
Or of the arrow that flies by day;
6 Of the pestilence that stalks in darkness,
Or of the destruction that lays waste at noon.
- 7 A thousand may fall at your side
And ten thousand at your right hand,
But it shall not approach you.
- 8 You will only look on with your eyes
And see the recompense of the wicked.
- 9 For you have made the LORD, my refuge,
Even the Most High, your dwelling place.
- 10 No evil will befall you,
Nor will any plague come near your tent.
- 11 For He will give His angels charge concerning you,
To guard you in all your ways.
- 12 They will bear you up in their hands,
That you do not strike your foot against a stone.
- 13 You will tread upon the lion and cobra,
The young lion and the serpent you will trample down.
- 14 "Because he has loved Me, therefore I will deliver him;
I will set him *securely* on high, because he has known My name.
- 15 "He will call upon Me, and I will answer him;
I will be with him in trouble;
I will rescue him and honor him.
- 16 "With a long life I will satisfy him
And let him see My salvation."¹

¹ *New American Standard Bible : 1995 update.* 1995 (Ps 91:1-16). LaHabra, CA: The Lockman Foundation.